Library of Congress

Alexandria Gazette.

VOLUME CVII.--NO. 96. ALEXANDRIA, VA., FRIDAY EVENING, APRIL 20, 1906. PRICE 2 CENTS.

Are You Tired, Nervous and Sleepless?

Nervousness and sleeplessness are usually due to the fact that the nerves are not fed on properly nourishing blood; they are *starved* nerves. Dr. Pierce's Golden Medical Discovery *makes pure, rich blood*, and thereby the nerves are properly nourished and all the organs of the body are run as smoothly as machinery which runs in oil. In this way you feel clean, strong and strenuous—you are toned up and invigorated, and you are good for a whole lot of physical or mental work. Best of all, the strength and increase in vitality and health are *lasting*.

The trouble with most tonics and medicines which have a large, booming sale for a short time, is that they are largely composed of alcohol holding the drugs in solution. This alcohol shrinks up the red blood corpuscles, and in the long run greatly injures the system. One may feel exhilarated and better for the time being, yet in the end weakened and with vitality decreased. Dr. Pierce's Golden Medical Discovery contains no alcohol. Every bottle of it bears upon its wrapper *The Badge of Honesty*, in a full list of all its several ingredients. For the druggist to offer you something he claims is "just as good" is to insult your intelligence.

Every ingredient entering into the world-famed "Golden Medical Discovery" has the unanimous approval and endorsement of the leading medical authorities of all the several schools of practice. No other medicine sold through druggists for like purposes has any such endorsement.

The "Golden Medical Discovery" not only produces all the good effects to be obtained from the use of Golden Seal root, in all stomach, liver and bowel troubles, as in dyspepsia, biliousness, constipation, ulceration of stomach and bowels and kindred ailments, but the Golden Seal root used in its compounding is greatly enhanced in its curative action by other ingredients such as Stone root, Black Cherrybark, Bloodroot, Mandrake root and chemically pure triple-refined glycerine.

"The Common Sense Medical Adviser," is sent free in paper covers on receipt of 21 one-cent stamps to pay the cost of mailing *only*. For 31 stamps the cloth-bound volume will be sent. Address Dr. R. V. Pierce, Buffalo, N. Y.

Dr. Pierce's Pleasant Pellets cure constipation, biliousness and headache.

NIP IT IN THE BUD.

First Appearance of Dandruff a Forerunner of Future Baldness.

That such is the case has been conclusively proven by scientific research Prof. Unna, the noted European skin specialist, declares that dandruff is the burrowed-up cuticle of the scalp, caused by parasites destroying the vitality in the hair bulb. The hair becomes lifeless, and, in time, falls out. This can be prevented.

Newbro's Herpicide kills this dandruff germ, and restores the hair to its natural softness and abundancy.

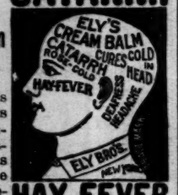
Herpicide is now used by thousands of people—all satisfied that it is the most wonderful hair preparation on the market to-day.

Sold by leading druggists. Send 10c. in stamps for sample to The Herpicide Co., Detroit, Mich.

E. S. Leadbeater & Sons, Special Agents.

A Positive CURE CATARRH

Ely's Cream Balm is quickly absorbed. Gives Relief at Once.



HAY FEVER

It cleanses, soothes heals and protects the diseased membrane. It cures Catarrh and drives away a Cold in the Head quickly. Restores the Senses of Taste and Smell. Full size 50 cts., at Druggists or by mail; Trial Size 10 cts. by mail. Ely Brothers, 56 Warren Street, New York.

COAL AND WOOD.

Barge Geo. B. Roberts

just arrived with 400 tons Best Lee Coal which fills a most important place in the essentials of a fine Holiday dinner, as your cook will fail if the fire is not right. It will be right, however, if you buy the coal of us. Our coal is the best for any kind of cooking It gives just the right fire always.

DeW. Aitcheson,

Office: 107 South Royal Street.

Bell 'Phone 95. Capital City 72

nov27 tf

WOOD, COAL and COKE.

T. J. Fannon,

Wholesale and Retail Coal Dealer.

RAILROAD DUMPING TRESTLE, DUKE AND HENRY STREETS.

I most respectfully solicit the patronage of all coal burners and one trial of my PURE ROSE COAL will convince you of getting your money's worth or same refunded.

T. J. FANNON.

LEGAL NOTICES.

NOTICE.—Having qualified as administrator of the estate of FRANK PRICE, deceased, all persons having claims against said estate are hereby notified to present the same duly verified to me for settlement, and all persons indebted to said estate are hereby notified to make prompt payment of such indebtedness to me.

ROBT. H. COX, City Sergeant,
ap4 10t Administrator.

W. H. McKENNEY & CO.,

Strand, Between King and Prince Sts

Wholesale dealers in FRESH AND SALTED FISH. We can supply customers in any quantity to suit, either fresh or salted. Country orders solicited and satisfaction guaranteed. Write us for quotations. Terms C. O. D. or best of references. Respectfully,

ap2 2m W. W. McKENNEY & CO.

SUN DRIED APPLES just received by J. C. MILBURN.

Alexandria Gazette.

PUBLISHED DAILY AND TRI-WEEKLY AT GAZETTE BUILDING, 310 & 312 PRINCE STREET.

TERMS: Daily—1 year, $5:00; 6 months, $2:50; 3 months, $1:25; 1 month, 43 cents; 1 week, 10 cents.

Contract advertisers will not be allowed to exceed their space unless the excess is paid for at transient rates, and under no circumstances will they be allowed to advertise other than their legitimate business in the space contracted for.

Tri-weekly—1 year, $3.00; 6 months, $1.50 3 months, 75 cents; 1 month, 25 cents.

Resolutions in memoriam, of thanks, tributes of respect, resolutions adopted by societies or persons, unless of public concern, will only be printed in the paper as advertisements.

Marriage and death notices must be paid for in advance.

[Entered at the Postoffice of Alexandria, Virginia, as second-class matter.]

Tilt Between Senators.

A very bitter and acrimonious debate broke out in the Senate yesterday between Senator Hopkins, of Illinois, and Senator Tillman, of South Carolina. The dispute began over the charges in connection with the Walsh bank failure in Chicago. The race issue was injected into the debate by Mr. Hopkins, who charged Mr. Tillman with approving the burning of negroes in the South.

After stating that Mr. Tillman was a modern reformer from South Carolina, which State has a white population of 557,000 and a black population of 782,000, Mr. Hopkins charged Mr. Tillman with having reached the Senate by suppressing the colored vote. He asked if Mr. Tillman would deny having said in 1900 that he had done all he could to keep negroes from voting.

"Why should I deny it," answered Mr. Tillman, "when I put it in the Record? I do not deny it."

Mr. Tillman, declared Mr. Hopkins, was a man most indifferent to obedience to law in his own State.

"My God," he exclaimed, "think of having here a man who gives his approval to the burning of his fellow-creatures—men and women!"

Following a statement by Mr. Hopkins that in the North the courts dealt with offenders, Mr. Tillman hotly inquired:

"How about the affair at Springfield, Ohio?"

This brought Mr. Foraker to his feet with the statement that, while it was a regrettable affair, the law immediately has been invoked to punish the offenders. He was glad to see that Mr. Tillman was the only Senator who defended shooting and burning negroes.

Mr. Tillman asserted that Mr. Hopkins had not replied to his charges, and upon Mr. Hopkins' refusal to state that he was the vice-president of the bonding company, Mr. Tillman said that he took his refusal as a confession and "as proof positive that he is exerting his official position to promote the violation of the law."

At this juncture both Senators Collom and Hopkins denied using their influence in Walsh's behalf.

Mr. Hopkins charged Mr. Tillman with exploiting himself for the purpose of securing newspaper notoriety and said he could not understand why a man coming from "such a State as South Carolina" should be concerned about the administration or the law in Chicago, where the people were able to take care of themselves.

The colloquy between Messrs. Tillman and Hopkins continued. At the top of their voices the two Senators engaged in wrangling, one talking on banks, the other on negroes, until Mr. Aldrich finally called for the regular order.

Mr. Tillman declared he would sit down when he got ready, and insisted he was trying to get Mr. Hopkins to answer him regarding the Walsh bank. The dispute was renewed and became even more heated. Mr. Tillman repeated that in South Carolina it was necessary "to destroy the brute who outrages a white woman in order for the white men to gain protection for their wives and daughters."

The Vice-President declared that the rules of debate would be enforced, but before either of the combatants could reply Mr. La Follette was recognized and spoke on the rate bill.

Desperate Negro Killed.

William H. White, keeper of Camp Ostell toll bridge, which spans the Elizabeth river between Norfolk and Berkley, was shot through the lungs yesterday morning by John Davis, a desperate negro of Sweet Canaan, Norfolk county, who was afterward hunted down and killed. No one was present when the shooting of White occurred. The wounded man said Davis attempted to cross the bridge without paying the cent charged pedestrians. When he remonstrated, the negro shot him. White's family summoned the police, and with the passengers from a street car which came along a few minutes after the shooting the police went on a hunt for the negro.

At Tam's store, which is near by, they were told that a negro answering the description of Davis had just come in with revolver in hand and compelled the clerk on duty to give him the money in the cash drawer, some $25, and had made for the woods. They followed and soon after came upon Davis, who, they said, fired upon them from ambush. About eight pistols answered Davis's fire, and he fell, wounded in several places, but held his weapon and fought until it was wrested from him.

He was conveyed to Norfolk uptown police station, where he died before a surgeon could reach him.

Thousands of negroes gathered about the station, but there was no further trouble, the crowd being merely curious. There was, however, much excitement about Norfolk until the facts concerning the tragedy became known.

White, who is a special policeman and bears an excellent reputation, has a wife and 10 children. He is now in St. Vincent's Hospital, but it is believed he will recover. He declares that Davis shot him in cold blood and without provocation.

A Young Mother of 70.

"My mother has suddenly been made young at 70. Twenty years of intense suffering from dyspepsia had entirely disabled her, until six months ago, when she began taking Electric Bitters, which have completely cured her and restored the strength and activity she had in the prime of life," writes Mrs. W. L. Gilpatrick, of Danforth, Me. Greatest restorative medicine on the globe. Sets Stomach, Liver and Kidneys right, purifies the blood and cures Malaria, Biliousness and Weaknesses. Wonderful Nerve Tonic. Price 50c. Guaranteed at E. S. Leadbeater & Sons' drug store.

Thousands of Women

ARE MADE WELL AND STRONG

Success of Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound Rests Upon the Fact that It Really Does Make Sick Women Well.

Thousands upon thousands of American women have been restored to health by Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound. Their letters are on file in Mrs. Pinkham's office, and prove this statement to be a fact and not a mere boast.

Overshadowing indeed is the success of this great medicine, and compared with it all other medicines and treatment for women are experiments.

Why has Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound accomplished such widespread results for good?

Why has it lived and thrived and done its glorious work for a quarter of a century?

Simply and surely because of its sterling worth. The reason no other medicine has even approached its success is plainly and positively because there is no other medicine in the world so good for women's ills.

The wonderful power of Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound over the diseases of womankind is not because it is a stimulant—not because it is a palliative, but simply because it is the most wonderful tonic and reconstructor ever discovered to act directly upon the female system, positively CURING disease and displacements and restoring health and vigor.

Marvelous cures are reported from all parts of the country by women who have been cured, trained nurses who have witnessed cures and physicians who have recognized the virtue in Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound, and are fair enough to give credit where it is due. If physicians dared to be frank and open, hundreds of them would acknowledge that they constantly prescribe Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound in severe cases of female ills, as they know by experience that it will effect a cure.

Women who are troubled with painful or irregular periods, backache, bloating (or flatulence), weakness, displacements, inflammation, ulceration, that "bearing-down" feeling, dizziness, faintness, indigestion, nervous prostration or the blues, should take immediate action to ward off the serious consequences, and be restored to health and strength by taking Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound. Anyway write to Mrs. Pinkham, Lynn, Mass., for advice. It's free and always helpful.

Victims of the Rail

Accident Bulletin No. 18, just issued by the Interstate Commerce Commission for the three months ending December 31, 1905, shows the total number of casualties to passengers and employes to be 18,227—1,109 killed and 17,118 injured.

This is an increase of 56 in the number killed and 732 in the number injured over those reported in the preceding three months, and an increase of 158 in the number killed and 3,091 in the number injured in the same quarter one year ago.

The number of passengers and employes killed in train accidents was 320, as against 272 in the preceding three months and 243 in the same quarter one year ago. The injured numbered 3,797, as against 3,455 in the preceding three months and 3,298 in the same quarter one year ago.

Casualties to employes show a considerable increase. This is probably due to the enormous traffic moved on all the principal railroads of the country and the increasing strain put on employes, as well as the employment of new and inexperienced men.

Clean up and get ready for spring. Take a few Early Risers. These famous little pills cleanse the liver, stomach and bowels and give the blood a chance to purify itself They relieve headache, sallow complexion, etc. Sold by W. F. Creighton & Co., 401 King street.

Keep your bowels regular by the use of Chamberlain's Stomach and Liver Tablets. There is nothing better. For sale by Gibson & Timberman and W. F. Creighton & Co.

The Latest Styles in Mattings, with Corrugated Lining "Free."

Time for heavy carpets to give place for cool, clean straw Mattings.

To get best prices on Mattings we bought our goods a year ago to be sent from China and Japan and give you the advantage of these close prices.

Chinese Mattings.

Made in checks and stripes, heavy and durable and plain white. Prices, 12½c, 17c, 18c, 19c, 21c, 22c, 23c, 25c, 27c, 30c and 32c a yard.

Japanese Mattings.

Bright artistic designs, with cotton warp. Prices 17c, 24c, 25c, 30c, 35c and 50c.

The late invention of Corrugated Matting Lining "Free" with your Mattings.

This lining is the greatest thing known to preserve Mattings.

Come and inspect our large new and choice line.

Special Value.

Mattings Rugs, 36x72, for 55c.

M. Ruben & Sons,

601 KING STREET.

DE ZESTA just received by J. C. MILBURN.

DRY GOODS.

Woodward & Lothrop

10th, 11th, F & G Sts. N.W.

WASHINGTON, D. C.

Saturday Is Children's Day.

Boys' New Spring Clothing.

Special attention is called to the following items:

A lot of Blue Serge Suits, in single and double breasted styles; sizes 16 to 20, or 32 to 36 inch chest measure.

Special prices, $15.00 and $16.50 each.

Our "W. & L." Special $5.00 Suit for Boys, of all-wool blue serge and fancy mixtures; jackets are lined with serge, silk sewed, bottoms faced; pants are lined and have double seats and knees; sizes 7 to 16.

Special value, $5.00 each.

New Wash Suits for the little fellows, in Russian and sailor blouse styles, made of the finest domestic and imported fabrics; sizes 3 to 12.

$1.00 to $5.00 each.

New Norfolk Suits for Boys, in the favored yoke style, also plain jacket with belt.

$6, $7.50, $8.50, $10 and $12.50 each.

A lot of Boys' "Peter Thompson" Sailor Suits, of fine English serges, made in the regulation style, with bloomer pants. These suits are fast color, are thoroughly made inside and out, silk sewed, and are a special value; sizes 4 to 12.

$8.50 each. Value, $10.

Also a lot of Young Men's Suits, in the popular gray mixtures—and decidedly handsome effects. The coats are double-breasted, made full length, with broad shoulders and snug-fitting collars. The pants are the latest cut—full and wide, with peg-tops, and finished with traps for belt; sizes 16 to 20, or 32 to 36 inch chest measure.

$10 each. Value $12.50.

Third floor—Tenth st.

Girls' New Spring Clothing.

We are showing an exceptional line of

Girls' New Spring Coats.

They come in a variety of different lengths, from the short, jaunty reefer to full-length garments reaching to bottom of dress. The ¾ to ⅞ lengths being most popular. Light effects in worsteds, homspuns, serges, etc., are most desirable, and bright braids and silks in contrasting shades are much used as trimmings.

At $8.65, $10, $12.50 and $15.00.

Girls' "Peter Thompson" Suits

We are able now to announce a complete assortment of the popular "Peter Thompson" Suits for spring. They are made in the full regulation style, well tailored, and all are of exceptional quality of material.

Sizes 8, 10 and 12, $12.50 each.
Sizes 14, 16, 18 and 20 are in two qualities, $18.50 and $25 each.

Girls' New Raincoats.

Girls' Raincoats, in tan and gray; full-length style, trimmed with buttons; sizes 8, 10 and 12.

$7.50 and $8.75 each.

Third floor—G st.

Woodward & Lothrop

10th, 11th, F and G Sts., N. W.

WASHINGTON, D. C.

DRUGGISTS.

WARFIELD & HALL,

DRUGGISTS,

CORNER PRINCE AND FAIRFAX STS

Prescriptions a specialty,

English, French, German and Domestic Toilet Soaps; Genuine Farina Cologne; Magnolia, Hedyosimia, Geranium and Florida Water; Genuine Lubin's Extracts; Sponges, Hair Brushes and Combs; best English Tooth Brushes; a full assortment of Patent Medicines; Coxe's Gelatine, Corn Starch, Sea Moss Farine, Spices of all kinds, and a select stock of all articles sold by druggists at prices so low as the same quality can be obtained elsewhere.

CLARENCE C. LEADBEATER, President.
EDWARD S. LEADBEATER, Vice President.
JOHN LEADBEATER, Sec. and Treasurer.

ESTABLISHED 1792.

E. S. LEADBEATER & SONS,

(INCORPORATED.)

Wholesale Druggists

Manufacturing Pharmacists and Dealers in Paints, Oils, Window Glass, Dyestuffs, Spices, Druggists' Fancy Goods and Specialties. Importers of Tooth Brushes, Hair Brushes, Perfumery, Olive Oil, &c.

Agents for John Lucas & Co.'s, Tinted Gloss Paints, Masury's Liquid Colors and Devoe's Lead and Zinc Paints.

Goods shipped the day order is received. Quotations furnished by return mail. Correspondence solicited.

MOYAM GUNPOWDER TEA 50c and 60c; extra good for price, just received by J. C. MILBURN

FANCY NEW PRUNES and NECTARINES just received by J. C. MILBURN.

HEADLESS ROE HERRING, cleaned and packed on shore when caught; also Prices Roe Herring for sale by J. C. MILBURN

FOUNDERS AND MACHINISTS.

J. & H. AITCHESON,

PRACTICAL MACHINISTS AND ENGINEERS,

—And Builders of—

MARINE AND STATIONARY ENGINES

Blacksmithing and Steam Fitting. Engineers' and Machinists' Supplies, and all sort of mill work and that connected with brick work promptly executed. Repairing promptly done.

J. & H. AITCHESON,
116 King Street, : Alexandria, Va.

WM. S. MOORE

MACHINIST, IRON AND BRASS FOUNDER, SHIPSMITH AND BLACKSMITH,

(OLD DOMINION WORKS)

South Union Street : Alexandria, Va.

Will furnish and repair all kinds of Machinery, Iron and Brass Castings, Wrought and Cast Iron Fences, Mill Work, Ship and Blacksmithing, Edge Tools, Mill Picks, Facing Hammers, and all kinds of Mill Work made and repaired at the shortest notice and at reasonable prices. The highest market price paid for old Wrought and Cast Iron, Brass and Copper

DRY GOODS

Why Is Bendheim's Store Always Busy?

Ever ask yourself the above constantly quoted question? Allow us to furnish the straightforward answer in our breath—"Keeping faith with the people at all seasons, Spring, Summer, Fall and Winter." This week's business-bringing bargains in every sort of Spring Merchandise will serve to again attract you to the store that has well-earned its signal success through speedy sales, small profits and seasonable stocks—Bendheim's.

A Bevy of Business-Bringing Bargains In White Goods.

45-inch White Wash Chiffon, for waists and dresses; 20c value, at 15c yard.

White Persian Lawns, very sheer, silky finish; 18c value, at 12½ yard.

40-inch White Mercerized Batiste; 39c value, at 25c.

Imported Silk Aeolians, white, light blue, pink and violet grounds, with large polka dots; 50c values, at 39c yard.

45-inch Mercerized Batiste, white, light blue, pink and violet; 50c yard.

40 inch Imported White Swiss Mulls, for waists and dresses, from 25c to 60c yard.

Fine imported Pin-dot White Swisses, from 39c to 75c yard.

27-inch White Whip Cord for Eton Suits, 25c yard.

Three special lots of White Mercerized Madras for waists, at 12½c, 19c and 25c.

40-inch White India Linon, porcelain finish; 15c value, at 10c yard.

25 pieces White Swiss Mulls; 20c values, at 15c yard.

White Dotted Swisses; 18c values, at 12½c yard.

Berkley Long Cloths; 18c value, at 12½ yard.

Berkley Cambrics; 18c value, at 12½c yard.

100 Pieces Point de Paris Laces with Insertings to match; 15c values at 9c yard.

D. Bendheim & Sons

316 King Street.

FINANCIAL.

W. H. MAY, President. } { R. M. PETTEY, Sec. and Treas.

Alexandria Home Fire Insurance Company, Inc.,

OFFICE NO. 114 S. ST. ASAPH ST.

Lowest rates. No three-quarter co-insurance clause.

Obtain our rates before placing your Fire Insurance.

PATRONIZE A HOME INDUSTRY.

apr2 3m

CHAS. R. HOOFF, PRESIDENT. } { THOS. W. WHITE CASHIER.

First National Bank,

ALEXANDRIA, VA.

Designated Depository of the United States.

CAPITAL . . . $100,000
SURPLUS AND UNDIVIDED PROFITS . . . 55,000

Directors:
CHAS. R. HOOFF, J. F. MUIR,
G. L. BOOTHE, M. B. HARLOW
B. BAER, JR.

Prompt attention given to all business, including collections throughout the United States and Europe.

C. E. NICOL, PRESIDENT. } { WM. B. SMOOT, VICE PRESIDENT
T. C. SMITH, CASHIER.

Alexandria National Bank,

COR. KING AND ROYAL STS.,

Alexandria, Va.

CAPITAL - - - - - $100,000

Deposits received, subject to check. Bonds purchased. Negotiable papers discounted.

Special department for ladies. Safe Deposit Boxes in Burglar and Fire-proof Vault.

We furnish letters of credit, available in all parts of the world. Collections made on all points. This bank offers every facility for the care of your business and solicits same.

ESTABLISHED 1852.

BURKE & HERBERT,

BANKERS AND DEALERS IN

Investment Securities.

A General Banking Business transacted.

Deposits received subject to check at sight.

Collections made.

Letters of Credit and Foreign Exchange furnished.

EASTER CARDS AND BOOKLETS.

Catholic Prayer Books.
Episcopal Prayer Books and Hymnals.
Red Letter Bibles and Testaments.
Teachers' Testaments and Bibles.
Methodist New Hymnals.
Easter Post Cards.
A large and beautiful line to select from.

S. F. DYSON & BRO.,

508 King St., Next to Opera House.

HEINZ'S SWEET PICKLES for sale by pint or gallon by J. C. MILBURN.

E. L. Daingerfield, President. W. F. Lambert, Cashier.
W. H. Lambert, Vice President. Carroll Pierce, Asst. Cashier.

The Citizens' National Bank

OF ALEXANDRIA, VA.

Capital, $100,000. Surplus and Profits, $95,000.

Centrally Located at the Corner of King and St. Asaph Sts.

Our facilities for the proper care of your business are unsurpassed. Safe deposit boxes in our exceptionally strong vault for the use of our depositors.

Bendheim & Hill

WHOLESALE DRY GOODS AND NOTION DEALERS.

A FULL AND COMPLETE LINE. PROMPT DELIVERY AND PRICES GUARANTEED.

NO. 110 KING STREET.

SPECIAL SALE.

During the next 30 days we will be compelled to reduce our $5,000 stock of shoes to $3,000, and in order to do this we will offer

Shoes at Reduced Prices for Cash

The stock is large and varied and will meet the wants of all.

CHILDREN'S DRESSES, From 6 to 14 years,

Will also be sold at material reductions on former prices.

P. Pulman & Co.,

N. E. Corner Duke and Alfred Streets.

WE SOLICIT YOUR BUSINESS

W. A. Smoot & Co.

COAL & WOOD.

319 King St. Foot of Princess St.

FAMILY ORDERS A SPECIALTY

CIGARS.

Choice Plantation Perfecto La Rosica

SOLD EVERYWHERE

Hamilton & Co.,

CIGAR MANUFACTURERS,

Alexandria, Va.

EXTRACTS FOR THE HANDERCHIEF. Palo Alto Pink, Lady Matchless, Bride Elect, Mariposa Lily, Coronado, White Rose, Sweet Margery, Golden State Violet, California Crab Apple, Blossom, Rosemere, California Clover, Pearls of Hyacinths, Pearls of Violets, Orchard Blossoms, Cashmere Bouquet, Jockey Club, Coronaria, Maud Muller Ceylon Clover, Trailing Arbutus, Stuart Bouquet, France Rose and La Trefle, at WARFIELD & HALL'S, Cor. Prince & Fairfax Sts.

STEAMERS.

MARYLAND, DELAWARE AND VIRGINIA RAILWAY COMPANY.

The Steamers of This Line Will Leave Alexandria

EVERY SUNDAY, TUESDAY and THURSDAY AFTERNOON at 4:30 o'clock.

FOR BALTIMORE AND ALL THE USUAL RIVER LANDINGS.

Cuisine and appointments unexcelled.

Freight for Baltimore, Philadelphia and New York solicited and handled with care.

Through rates and bills of lading issued.

Single fare to Baltimore, $2; round trip, $3; Staterooms, one way, $1.50. Meals, 50c.

WM. M. REARDON, Agent, Strand.

NORFOLK AND WASHINGTON STEAMBOAT CO.

Alexandria-Washington FERRY.

NEW STEAMER "WOODBURY."

Schedule in Effect Nov. 1, 1905.

LEAVE ALEXANDRIA, VA—6:00, 7:00, 8:00 9:00, 10:00, 11:00, 12:00 a. m.; 1:00, 2:00, 3:00, 4:00, 5:00, 6:00 p. m.

LEAVE WASHINGTON, D. C.—6:30, 7:30, 8:30, 9:30; 10:30, 11:30 a. m., 12:30, 1:30, 2:30, 3:30, 4:30, 5:30, 6:30 p. m.

W. H. CALLAHAN, Gen. Pass. Agt.
JOHN CALLAHAN, 2d V.-P. and G. M.

EASTER SUITS

Should be ordered now. Our SPRING AND SUMMER line of fine Suitings, Spring Overcoatings, Trouserings and Fancy Vests are ready for your inspection.

EVERY MAN

Can find something to suit him, however hard to please or fastidious his taste may be. A call and inspection will convince you that we have the most complete line of Woolens in Alexandria. An expert cutter; first-class workmen and, above all, A GOOD FIT. We solicit your patronage.

WE CAN PLEASE YOU.

ROBERT T. GRIMES,

322 King Street, Alexandria, Va.

Bell 'Phone 236. jan9 3m

PUFFED RICE for sale by J. C. MILBURN

NABOB PANCAKE FLOUR just received by J. C. MILBURN.

Alexandria Gazette
SIC SEMPER TYRANNIS
AND VIRGINIA ADVERTISER

FRIDAY EVENING, APRIL 20, 1906.

GOVERNOR SWANSON'S address at the University of Virginia yesterday was a brilliant feature in connection with the celebration of Jefferson Day. The Governor recalled the halcyon days of his early youth when he was a student at the University and in a fervid manner reproduced scenes and incidents of by-gone years, promised to do all in his power as Governor for the enhancement of the interests of the time honored institution and paid a fitting tribute to the same. The speaker recalled a galaxy of illustrious men who had been sent forth from the institution—men who had become the foremost in the nation's history and whose names had become immortal. His references to Jefferson were apt and suggestive, and he depicted in a glowing manner the great Virginian in the performance of his duties to his State and country. The Governor among other things said:

"We need to feel once more that intellectual wealth is greater than material wealth. The time should come again when the hero of the college should not be the captain of the football team, but the student whose splendid intellectual attainments point to a life of usefulness and greatness. The time must come again when womanhood will prefer companionship with brave hearts and noble souls bent on lofty purposes rather than with those whose sole attraction consists in their ability to furnish the gaudy tinsel and decoration of wealth. Patriotic public interest and sentiment indeed need awakening when the great daily newspapers of this country, in compliance with the tastes of their readers, devote two pages to races, prize fights and baseball and scarcely a column to the proceedings of our national Congress."

The speaker referred rapidly to present conditions in this country, the reign of plutocracy, the worship of wealth and gaudiness of national surroundings, contrasting such a regime with the nobler order of things which at one time existed and which every good and sensible man should desire to see reproduced. The Governor in closing said:

"Young gentlemen of the South, the clock of opportunity strikes our hour of work and responsibility. Prudence and patriotism alike demand that we should no longer confine our political activities to local matters, but we should modestly but firmly insist upon equal participation in control and direction of national affairs. Sirs, animated by a patriotism that is national, stirred by the memories of the large contributions that our fathers have made to national greatness and glory, thrilled by the present possibilities of our action, which points to a greater future, let us of the South resolve to answer all demands made upon us by our common country and to aid this glorious republic to advance along the pathway of justice, liberty and progress."

AT THE beginning of each year certain persons calling themselves seers pretend to foretell the startling events which are to occur during the following 365 days. As a matter of curiosity, a list of calamities, prepared by one Spangler, was published in the Gazette during the early part of last January. Among the events predicted were a destructive eruption of Mount Vesuvius, and terrible earthquakes in California. Other things which are to form prominent chapters in this year's history, according to Spangler, are the following: The dissolution of Russia, assassination of the Czar, overthrow of Turkey and the assassination of the Sultan, protracted race war in the South, volcanic eruptions and volcanos in all parts of the world, and storms and cyclones, with terrible loss of life, especially at sea. The eruption of Vesuvius and the California earthquake are curious coincidences in connection with Spangler's forecasts.

THE SEISMOGRAPHS in the observatories throughout Italy on Wednesday recorded distinct earthquake shocks. Those of the observatory at Florence, which have the most perfect instruments, indicated that an earthquake had been felt at a distance of over 7,000 miles. The shocks were so severe that they injured the instruments. The director of the Florence Observatory is of the opinion that the earthquake in California, viewed in connection with the outbreak of Mount Vesuvius and the earthquake in Calabria in September last, indicates the approach of further terrestrial convulsions. These observations, while San Francisco is lying in ruins, are likely to cause uneasiness in many cities of the world.

THE TRUTH of the saying, "Riches take unto themselves wings and fly away," has again been shown in the case of Mrs. Herman Oelrichs (nee Miss Theresa Alice Fair), of New York. She retired Tuesday night in the possession of millions. When she arose yesterday morning she was made to realize that her vast fortune had been swept away almost instantly by the California earthquake. Yesterday she declared she was as poor as any one, all her valuable San Francisco property now being a heap of ruins.

The condition of Vesuvius becomes steadily more reassuming. Explosions are fewer, and less sand is being emitted.

From Washington.

[Correspondence of the Alexandria Gazette.]

Secretary Shaw received a telegram this morning from Oakland telling of the complete destruction of the subtreasury, but bearing the gratifying information that the $30,000,000 contained in the vaults has been saved and is now being guarded day and night by a company of soldiers. The telegram was signed by J. M. McClure, a bookkeeper in the sub-treasury, who apparently performed some good work in the absence of his superiors. No word has come from either Sub-Treasurer Jacobs or Cashier Burns, and the treasury authorities here are convinced that both these officials lost their lives in the disaster. Mr. McClure's telegram, dated last night, is as follows: "San Francisco completely destroyed by fire following earthquake. Sub-treasury burned yesterday afternoon. Under difficulty I reached wreck of building this morning. Vaults appear intact. Found no guard. Finally communicated with Gen. Funston, and secured continuous detail of one company of soldiers. Unable to locate assistant treasurer, therefore acted on own responsibility. Chaotic condition. Mint building and vault safe. Please arrange with Secretary of War for military protection to treasury vault."

Considerable alarm is felt in official circles over the silence of Assistant Treasurer Jacobs, and Cashier Burns of the San Francisco sub-treasury and Superintendent Roberts of the custom house in the same city. Not a word has been received from any of these officials and it is feared that they lost their lives either in the earthquake or the fire which has followed the seismic convulsion. Mr. Jacobs, especially, has a record for promptness in the dispatch of official business, Secretary Shaw believes, and nothing short of his complete disablement would prevent him from at once communicating with headquarters. It was suggested at the Treasury Department this morning that Messrs. Jacobs and Burns probably hastened to the sub-treasury as soon as the earthquake occurred and fought the flames which broke out soon afterward. It is quite within the range of possibility that they were either killed or disabled in the blaze. Mr. Roberts, the third official missing, lives across the bay from San Francisco, and may not have been able to either reach the custom house or communicate with Washington.

The Navy Department this morning received a dispatch from Admiral McCalla, at Mare Island, dated yesterday, giving a resume of the fire's progress in San Francisco up to 5 o'clock in the evening and stating that the river front has escaped destruction, Navy Department tugs having assisted in fighting the fire along the docks. He stated that the armored cruisers South Dakota and California, now being constructed at the Union Iron Works, had escaped injury. He added that he had sent a tug load of provisions to the city in order to prevent suffering from famine.

In order to relieve the monetary situation at San Francisco, Secretary Shaw, of the Treasury Department, has been asked to favor the immediate passage of a bill autorizing the deposit of government cash in all banks of the stricken city under the same conditions as now apply to national banking institutions. This plan, if carried out, would allow the private banks to secure what money they need upon the deposit of government bonds with the treasury. Under the existing law only national banks are allowed this privilege. Secretary Shaw has not yet decided upon his course in the matter.

Rear Admiral McCalla has wired the Navy Department as follows from Mare Island: "Visited San Francisco during night south of Market street. City destroyed from water front to new postoffice and to hills to south; north of Market street, from the water front to Powell and Broadway. Fire still burning fiercely. Loss of life much exaggerated. Have sent all marines available."

For the purpose of preserving order and assisting in the work of relief at San Francisco, the War Department has ordered two battalions of the 20th infantry and the 2nd squadron of the 14th cavalry to that city from Monterey, California.

President Roosevelt has received messages of condolence from Prince Henry of Prussia, the President of Mexico and Count Witte of Russia. Messages have also been received from the President of Brazil, the Emperor of Austria, the President of Guatemala, the Governors and Premiers of Australia and New South Wales, the President of Switzerland, and the vice-regent of India.

During Mr. Lafollettes railway rate speech, today, the Wisconsin Senator declared that "The records so far as they have been exposed, show that railroad officials with rare exceptions are criminals under the statutes. This was in replying to a recent utterance of Mr. Foraker, that the railway officials were not criminals".

Today's Cabinet session was mainly devoted to the consideration of the calamity that has befallen the city of San Francisco, and it was decided that Secretary Metcalf, of the Department of Commerce and Labor, whose home is at Oakland, should proceed immediately to the stricken city as the representative of the administration. He will consult with Governor Pardee, of California, and the municipal authorities of San Francisco and advise the President what may be done to alleviate the distress. Secretary Metcalf will leave for California this afternoon.

The Supervising Architect of the Treasury Department this morning received the following telegram from Postmaster Dargie, of Oakland, Cal.: "San Francisco totally ruined. San Francisco postoffice wrecked and may collapse at any time. Mint and postoffice only buildings remaining standing in business section. Our office only slightly injured. Los Angeles, Stockton and Sacramento safe. Only five killed in Oakland. San Francisco mercantile and insurance firms opening up business at Oakland."

Judson Faust, aged 51, employed in the Treasury Department, committed suicide last night at his home, 233 13th street southwest, by inhaling illuminating gas.

An Appeal for the Sufferers.

New York, April 20.—The National Federation of Churches and Christian Workers sends out the following appeal for aid for suffering San Francisco: "The most appalling disaster known in human history has fallen upon San Francisco. The city has been utterly destroyed by earthquake and fire. Three hundred thousand persons are made homeless. Congress has made an appropriation for help and the President has appealed to the country for additional aid for the homeless and suffering. We recommend to all religious organizations that their first Sabbath meetings they take a generous contribution for aid, and contributions received be sent to the proper denominational representatives or to the Red Cross Society in Washington, the medium recommended by the President."

News of the Day.

In the Senate yesterday Mr. Bailey explained what had occurred in the democratic conference Wednesday on the railroad-rate bill, and in the course of his remarks declared that he would support the Long amendment if the friends of that proposition would accept his non-suspension proposal.

The University of Pennsylvania yesterday participated in the Franklin bicentenary with exercises at the Academy of Music, in Philadelphia. Honorary degrees were conferred upon King Edward, of England, and other distinguished personages, including Professor John William Mallet, of University of Virginia.

An earthquake shock which was felt distinctly throughout Hancock, Mich., and was more pronounced in the Quincy mine, killed Timothy Leary and injured four others while working one mile below the earth's surface in that property yesterday. In numerous instances buildings rocked, chimneys fell, and dishes rattled, terrifying the citizens and causing scores of men, women, and children to rush from their homes. Many miners on the day shift refused to go below again.

Joseph Johnson, 60 years old, residing on the Morrow Farm, near New Cumberland, W. Va., was attacked by a ferocious hog Wednesday and his condition is critical as a result. His right leg and one of his ribs were broken and he received a gash on the leg which caused him nearly to bleed to death. But for the arrival of his daughter he would doubtless have been killed. Johnson, noticing a strange hog among his drove, attempted to drive it away, when it turned on him.

Mr. John Banks, cashier of the National Bank of Chesapeake City and former Treasurer of Cecil county, Md., died yesterday morning at his home in Chesapeake City after a short illness, death resulting from a fishbone which Mr. Banks swallowed on Wednesday of last week. He suffered intense agony for several days and, owing to the position of the bone, the physicians were unable to give him relief. Wednesday morning his condition became critical, when he suffered a hemorahage. A postmortem showed that the fishbone had penetrated a large artery.

Eight hundred colored men and women shook Institutional African Methodist Episcopal Church in Chicago last night with applause when Ida Wells Barnett advised the black man to put a revolver in his pocket and "anticipate the white man in his deviltry." The occasion for the speech was a meeting called to protest against the mob violence that has brought Springfield, Mo., into prominence during the last few days. When the speaking had ended resolutions were adopted urging President Roosevelt to take some steps to protect the negro race from destruction at the hands of the whites.

Dispatches received in London state that a slight earthquake shock was felt in Honolulu yesterday. Only a few houses owever, were damaged.

Virginia News.

Richard Keys, of Fauquier county, and Miss Lillian Garrison, daughter of Joseph Garrison, of Stafford county, were married Wednesday at Stafford Springs.

Clarence Rudasille, jr., the thirteen-year old son of Clarence Rudasille, of Limeton, was killed by the accidental discharge of a shotgun Wednesday afternoon.

Miss Reldie Presgraves, daughter of Mr. Henry Presgraves, of Loudoun county, was married Wednesday evening to John A. Havenner, son of Henry Havenner, a prosperous farmer of that county.

The home of Col. and Mrs. Alexander Cameron, in Richmond, was the scene of a beautiful marriage yesterday morning when their daughter, Miss Flora Cameron, became the bride of George Zinn, of Orange county.

The Richmond Howitzers yesterday received their new battery of breech-loading field guns. There were six cars loaded with the equipment, including four guns, six caissons, battery wagon and forge limber. There are 70 sets of harness, trappings for twenty mounted men, complete equipment for 120 men on the march or in camp, including pistols and side arms.

Judge A. T. Embrey, in the Corporation Court at Fredericksburg, yesterday delivered a vigorous charge to the grand jury, stating that charges of graft and corruption had been made in connection with the administration of the city government. He wanted the matter thoroughly investigated. In accordance with the judge's instructions a number of witnesses were summoned. The grand jury could not complete the work yesterday and adjourned until today.

Andrew Davenport, colored, now in jail at Newport News awaiting execution for the murder of Willie Thomas, colored, has written a letter to the Governor asking that the officers be compelled to take him to the river either the day before or the day of the execution in order that he may be baptized by immersion. The prisoner says he does not object to being handcuffed and manacled while the rite is being performed. The sentence is to be executed sometime in June.

Mystery surrounds the shooting of Morgan Tevault, employed as an engineer by the Stephens City Milling Company near Winchester. Tevault was returning to his home late Wednesday night, when the contents of a shotgun were emptied into his legs. A band of whitecaps made an attack on the home of Philip Chapman about the time of the shooting, hurling stones and other missiles at the house. Chapman armed himself with a shotgun and fired several shots in the direction of the crowd. The attacks ceased after Chapman shot. It is not known whether Tevault was wounded in this way. Several days ago Chapman's wife received a letter signed "Whitecaps," in which threats against the woman were made.

Natural Bridge Sold.

At a meeting of the stockholders of the Natural Bridge Development Company, held Tuesday, in Richmond, the sale of the Natural Bridge was closed to Messrs. Paxton, Stevens and Spencer. There have been two companies owning property at and around the bridge—one owning the hotel and park, the other controlling the bridge tract proper. The organization owning the park and hotel is behind the sale, and will issue $60,000 in 5 per cent bonds, covering the $41,000 in stock of the old company and utilizing the $19,000 for improvements. The property contains about 1,400 acres and extensive improvements have already been made on the park tract, but this will be augmented, it is understood, by a new and larger hotel with modern and general attractions.

The California Earthquake.

For two days and nights San Francisco has been ablaze. The property loss is over $200,000,000. It is impossible to approximate the loss of life or the number of injured. Some think between 500 and 600 have been killed. One hundred and fifty thousand people are said to be homeless.

The southern part of California was shaken by earthquakes yesterday afternoon. The shocks caused internal excitement at Los Angeles.

Fine residences covering a mile along the east side of Van Ness avenue, in San Francisco, were blown up. Sixteen blocks, including homes of many millionaires, were razed by explosives. The dynamite giving out, tons of gunpowder were used for the destructive work.

The United States subtreasury building was destroyed with the exception of the treasury vaults, which are guarded by troops.

In pressing citizens into relief and rescue service the military found it at times necessary to compel them at the point of sword or revolver.

Many thousands of people succeeded in getting away from the devastated city. Thousands were driven toward the ocean.

While the United States mint building is damaged considerably, the $39,000,000 of gold and silver coin and bullion are safe.

Destitution follows the disaster in other California cities outside of San Francisco. In Santa Rosa 10,000 are homeless. Not only is the food supply exhausted, but the drinking water is so scarce that thousands of people nearly famished.

The town of Branley, in Southern California, was destroyed.

All railroads and express companies have offered to carry free all provisions and supplies for the destitute, and the telegraph companies will not charge for messages from relief committees or officials bearing upon relief measures.

Seismographs in Florence, Italy, and on the Isle of Wight recorded the disturbances. The director of the Florence Observatory says the California earthquakes in connection with the eruption of Vesuvius indicate the approach of further terrestrial convulsions.

Down on the harbor front of San Francisco the earth seems to have sunk from 6 to 8 inches, and great cracks appear in the streets. Car tracks were twisted into all shapes and buildings were seen to be out of plumb which afterward were destroyed by fire.

President Roosevelt has issued an official appeal for aid for the earthquake sufferers, the distribution to be made through the American Red Cross.

New York fire insurance men say that the total amount of risks in San Francisco alone is about $250,000,000. When other cities alone visited by the earthquake disaster shall have been heard from the sum will soar to $850,000,000. These are, however, fire risks only.

Two of the heaviest losers of property as the result of the San Francisco earthquake and fire will be Mrs. William K. Vanderbilt and Mrs. Herman Oelrichs, of New York, daughters of the late James G. Fair.

THE SITUATION TODAY.

Oakland, Cala., April 20, 3:30 a. m.—There is no change for the better, across the bay. The city is practically wiped out.

New York, April 20. The following bulletin has just been received by the Western Union: "General Funston has given out thousands of tents to the unfortunates and has done everything to relieve their sufferings. I had an escort take me through the Parks that are left last night. The people there are fairly comfortable, but the heavy fogs and dew at night are causing great distress. Tens of thousands of homeless people are flocking to Oakland, Alameda, and other towns across the bay. They are suffering from want of food and water. All the bakeries in the various towns are running to their fullest capacity, but people are living on what kind of food they can obtain and a limited supply of crackers. Chinamen, routed out by the fire, are in evidence by the thousands, all with big bundles waiting for the first boat. The scene in the extreme west end and where thousands were camped in parks and vacant lots being driven out by the approach of the flames, is terrible."

New York, April 20.—The Western Union Telegraph Company at 9 o'clock this morning received this message from San Francisco:

"The fire, which heretofore had crept around the base of Telegraph Hill, has left a few houses standing there, has crept back from the west and is now in full possession of the houses on the hill and will no doubt take everything on Van Ness avenue west of there. The main fire has reached Octavia street, and is going at a fast rate. There is no one in from the fire since midnight. At that time it had started afresh on the south end of the line of fire and was burning fast. The ferry buildings present a fearful scene of men, women and children, and the few articles that they have tried to save. They are all here to leave the city by the first boat they can get away on."

New York, April 20.—The Western Union has just received the following bulletin: "The fire has been stopped at Octavia street, and is now confined to Telegraph Hill. There is a large burned space between the present fire and where it did not go further west. I do not think it will start again unless some ignorant persons start fires in their stoves. There is not a chimney in town that is safe to use for stove fires."

Oakland, Cala., April 20.—San Francisco is a memory. Not a home remains and the peninsula which was the home of nearly half a million people is now a ruin. Besides the San Francisco conflagration the fires of Boston, Chicago and Baltimore seem insignificant. The Galveston flood, perhaps, was more disastrous to life, but the destruction to property was far less. The tale was told yesterday when the fire took a new start and the last hope was abandoned. There are left standing no hotels or residences. A few stark steel ruins thrust their mighty beams into the smoke-clouded sky, as if in defiance of the elements that sought their destruction. It is impossible to estimate the number of dead. Five hundred is as near right as five thousand. Estimates of ten thousand are common. Two thousand refugees arrived last night at Sacramento, and twenty thousand more will be sent there today. Through the night outcasts of the earth, hyenas in the image of man, plied their thieving, ghoulish calling in the darkness. Soldiers shot many of them.

San Francisco, April 20.—Ex-Mayor Phelan, himself one of the heaviest losers, headed a subscription for the relief of the distressed by giving $1,000,000.

All nearby towns are raising subscriptions. Sacramento raised $50,000, in fifteen minutes, Los Angeles and all southern California cities are organizing relief committees, sending aid and a special hospital train from Los Angeles which reached Oakland this morning, prepared to pitch tents and cars for the injured.

Washington, D. C., April 20.—Western Union Bulletin—"San Francisco (received 9:19 a. m.)—The fire which hitherto had kept around the base of Telegraph Hill and left a few houses there, has crept back from the west and is now in full possession of the houses on the hill and will no doubt take everything on Van Ness avenue and west of there. The main fire has reached Octavia street and is going at a fast rate. There is no one in from the fire since midnight; at that time it had started afresh on the south end of the line of fire and was burning fast. The ferry buildings present a fearful scene of men, women and children and the few articles that they have tried to save. They are all here to leave the city by the first boat they can get away on. The road leading from the ferry north and around the shore of the bay, as far as Fort Mason, is strewn with all sorts of vehicles that have broken down, baby carriages, wheelbarrows, etc., that would not stand the loads over the rough way. The fire came very close to Fort Mason last night, and the big Fontana warehouse and nearby canneries will no doubt go today. I think the fire will make a clear sweep of everything as far as Golden Gate Park. Would not be surprised to see it take the encalyptis trees that line the panhandle and park and burn the shrubbery in the park clear to the ocean beach."

The War Department at noon today received a long despatch from General Funston in which he reported that the fire at San Francisco was partially under control at 7 o'clock this morning. The despatch dated at Fort Mason, San Francisco, reads: "Fire situation at 7 o'clock this morning better. The fire has been stopped at Franklin street. Rose now being stretched from Franklin and Broadway toward Russian Hill, about Union and Leavenworth, and from there towards Telegraph Hill. It is hoped to stop the fire on that line. South of Market the fire has passed to the west of Dolores street but north of Market entire line under control from about Fillmore and Market, on irregular line to Van Ness and Broadway. That region of the city, west of this line and north of Market, will probably be saved. Weather continues fine. Supplies arriving. Situation appears a little better than was anticipated at midnight.

Washington, April 20.—The following telegram was received from Gen. Funston at the War Department, dated 9 a. m.:

"Referring to water supply can now report as follows: Spring Valley water people state that they will be able to deliver to the city by pipe line 10,000,000 gallons of water.

"This together with Lobos creek and the Golden Gate Park system which is a separate system will supply all the people in the two large concentration camps. No water famine is anticipated.

"The fire is getting under better control than was reported in telegram of 7 a. m. this morning. Fire is not getting west of Franklin. Still being held in check on line from Pacific avenue across Russian Hill to Telegraph Hill. Fire boat assisting in pumping from the bay."

DESCRIPTIONS BY WITNESSES OF DISASTER.

Los Angeles, Cala., April 20.—Survivors of the earthquake are giving vivid descriptions of their experience.

C. E. Preston a railroad clerk, who was in a street car when the first shock occurred, said:

"There was one great detonation roar, followed by a succession of frightful crashes. Then came flames which broke out everywhere. The shock set all the passengers in the car in a panic, myself among the rest. The car was stopped at once. All got out and tried to walk, but could make no headway while the shock lasted. It seemed to come from the east to west, then from the north to south, and there also were vertical motions which came as a thunderbolt, too. There was no oppression in the atmosphere, and there was absolutely no warning. The first shock lasted about two minutes. When the shock came the noise was as though a cannon had exploded. This was made by falling walls of houses. I also heard crashing of glass as it was hurled from windows to the pavement. I started to walk down Mission street, and went as far as the postoffice at Seventh and Mission streets. As I walked on I met several women who were on the street clad only in their night clothes and calling for their little ones, amidst their tears. I also saw men rushing through half fallen buildings and throwing clothes to women in the streets from the upper windows. Market street, looking toward the ferry, was a mass of brick and stone debris, from fallen walls. The street was sunken in some places while it was raised in others so that it looked like waves upon the ocean. The depressions were right and left to the streets."

Richard Cole also gives some of his observations. After describing the shocks and the resultant damage he tells of the fire which followed. He says:

"The sight was indescribable. For a mile and a quarter the city was in flames. At intervals of a few moments there would be tremendous charges of dynamite or gun cotton, exploded in buildings that stood away from the fire. Tongues of flames, hundreds of feet long, swept the skies. By the earthquake I estimate that not over 500 people were killed, probably less. What casualties followed from fires I know nothing but I was watching a dozen fires across the bay to San Francisco. No word-painter could begin to picture that awful scene. For twenty miles south of Oakland the Southern Pacific Railroad tracks were sunk about eight inches. The whole country for a hundred miles south of Tracy seemed to have suffered more or less."

A man, who had a narrow escape from a falling building, says "it was all anyone could do to keep from being hit by falling walls. One man was absolutely crazy, making all sorts of hideous gestures and grimaces. I went over to the next street at the top of the hill and looked over the scene. It was one of horror for miles and miles, with dust and smoke and gas pipes pouring forth flames, buildings burning and throwing flames hundreds of feet into the air."

Relief Train.

Washington, D. C. April 20.—A special train of twelve express cars chartered by the United States government to speed supplies to the stricken city of San Francisco passed through Washington from New York early this morning, stopping only long enough to take aboard such stores as had been collected here. Gen. Bell, Chief of Staff, has arranged for unobstructed right of way for this train across the continent, and it will undoubtedly establish a record. It is loaded with tents, stoves and commissary supplies. An effort will be made to cover the distance in three days. Practically the available army tents in the country have been ordered sent to Frisco, and new ones will be supplied to take their places out of the emergency appropriation passed by Congress yesterday afternoon. Since early yesterday morning the War Department has been in direct telegraphic communication with Oakland, California, having had almost constant use of one of the few wires out of that city.

Docks Collapse.

St. Paul, Minn., April 20.—A section of the Duluth Mesaba and Northern Company docks collapsed. Extent of damage and loss of life is not known. A report says several workmen were killed and are in the debris.

A later dispatch says that twenty seven men were injured, but none killed in the collapse of the overhead walk at the Duluth Mesaba and Northern ore docks today.

Congressman Blackburn's Trial.

Greensboro, N. C., April 20.—The trial of Congressman Spencer Blackburn, charged with accepting fees for practicing before departments at Washington, came to a sudden termintaion today, Judge Goff instructing the jury there was not evidence sufficient to convict, submitted by the prosecution, and ordered the defendant acquitted. The announcement was received with the greatest applause and many ladies who were in the court room crowded up and shook hands with Judge Goff.

New York Stock Market

New York, April 20.—Large blocks of stocks were thrown on the market at the opening, the supply coming in many cases from very strong accounts. At first the bulk of the buying was almost wholly by room traders to cover shorts, and at the same time accummulate long lines. As the trading progressed the selling became less urgent and at the end of the first hour a more confident feeling prevailed than at any time since the first news of the San Francisco calamity.

How's This?

We offer One Hundred Dollars Reward for any case of Catarrh that cannot be cured by Hall's Catarrh Cure. F. J. CHENEY & CO., Toledo, O.

We, the undersigned, have known F. J. Cheney for the last 15 years, and believe him perfectly honorable in all business transactions and financially able to carry out any obligations made by his firm,

WALDING, KINNAN & MARVIN,
Wholesale Druggists, Toledo, O.

Hall's Catarrh Cure is taken internally, acting directly upon the blood and mucous surfaces of the system. Testamonials sent free. Price 75c per bottle.

Sold by all Druggists, 75c.

Take Hall's Family Pills for constipation.

Fifty-ninth Congress.

Washington, April 20.

SENATE.

When the Senate met today, it unanimously adopted a resolution, offered by Mr. Scott, directing the Secretary of the Treasury to submit to the Senate at the earliest possible moment an estimate of the cost of erecting steel structures to replace the Federal buildings destroyed by the earthquake and fire in San Francisco.

Mr. Scott explained that all government buildings, except the Mint, had been destroyed.

Mr. Perkins said his advices were that the Mint, Postoffice and Department of Justice buildings were safe.

To meet the demand of Surgeon General O'Reilly, Mr. Morgan offered a joint resolution directing the Secretary of War to use in his discretion any part of the appropriation of one million dollars, made by Congress yesterday, in the immediate purchase of medical supplies for use in San Francisco.

HOUSE.

Chaplain Couden offered another fervent prayer in the House today, thanking God for the sympathy, brotherly love and generosity which prevails throughout our land for the stricken people of the Pacific coast.

"Spare us, Oh, God," he prayed, from further calamity. "May the people of the coast take up the burdens of life anew and go forward to even greater accomplishments."

There was another "rough house" in the House, this afternoon, following a declaration by Representative Clark, of Florida, that in the discussion yesterday about affairs at St. Elizabeth Insane Asylum, General Grosvenor, of Ohio, had declared that he knew nothing about any charges pending against the management of that institution. General Grosvenor denounced the statement vehemently, declaring that it was "unqualifiedly, and, in my opinion, purposely misleading."

"The gentleman from Ohio would not make such a statement anywhere else," retorted Clark, white with rage. Both gentlemen were called to order by Chairman Dalzell, of Pennsylvania, and on motion of Representative Williams, of Mississippi, the unparliamentary remarks were expunged from the record. Then affairs quieted down and the House continued consideration of the District of Columbia appropriation bill.

The House unanimously adopted the Senate joint resolution which permits the Secretary of War to purchase medical supplies for the California unfourtunates out of the million dollars relief appropriation agreed to yesterday.

Nothing will relieve indigestion that is not a thorough digestant. Kodol Dyspepsia Cure digests what you eat and allows the stomach to rest—recuperate—grow strong again. A few doses of Kodol after meals will soon restore the stomach and digestive organs to a full performance of their functions naturally. Sold by W. F. Creighton & Co., 401 King street.

Another invoice of the celebrated POTOMAC FLOUR just received by
J. C. MILBURN.

D. A. R.

There was much enthusiasm yesterday morning in the congress of the Daughters of the American Revolution now in session in Washington during the nominating of the candidates to fill the vacancies made by the expiration of terms of 10 vice-president-generals. Two honorary vice-president-generals were also nominated. These latter offices are for life.

The nominations for vice-president-generals were as follows: Mrs. F. W. Mondell, of Wyoming; Mrs. John Leary, of the State of Washington; Mrs. Lucy Bailey Heneberger, of Virginia; Mrs. Ira H. Evans, of Texas; Mrs. Richard Jackson Barker, of Rhode Island; Mrs. William Dunham Kerfoot, of New Jersey; Mrs. Truman H. Newberry, of Michigan; Mrs. Theodore C. Bates, of Massachusetts; Mrs. Sally Marshall Hardy, of Kentucky; Mrs. Brayton W. Bushnell, of Iowa; Mrs. John N. Carey, of Indiana; Mrs. Robert E. Parke, of Georgia, and Miss Clara Lee Bowman, of Connecticut.

The candidates for the two vacancies as honorary vice-president-generals were Mrs. Helen M. Boynton, of the District of Columbia; Mrs. Randolph De B. Keim, of Pennsylvania; Mrs. Eleanor Holmes Lindsay, formerly of Kentucky, now a resident of New York, and Mrs. S. V. White, of Brooklyn.

The President received the members of the Daughters of the American Revolution in the White House in the afternoon.

The Congress met again at 4 o'clock and proceeded with the balloting for officers. The report of the Jamestown committee was read by its chairman, Mrs. Lydia Pleasants Purcell, of Virginia.

In the evening at 8 o'clock there was a patriotic celebration at Continental Memorial Hall.

The programme for today includes the reports of the standing committees in the morning; concert by the Marine Band at 3:30 at the navy yard, and a special meeting in honor of the charter members of the National Society of the Daughters of the American revolution in the evening at Continental Memorial Hall.

Washington, D. C., April 20.—The following officers were this morning elected by the Continental Congress of the D. A. R.: Vice-presidents-general: Mrs. Robert E. Park, of Georgia; Mrs. Rich J. Barker, of Rhode Island; Mrs. Truman H. Newberry, of Michigan; Mrs. Kearfoote, of New York; Mrs. Theodore C. Bates, of Massachusetts; Miss C. L. Bowman, of Connecticut; Mrs. Sophie H. Bushnell, of Iowa; Mrs. Julia N. Hardy, of Kentucky; Mrs. I. H. Evans, of Texas; Mrs. A. E. Heneberger of Virginia. Honorary vice-presidents-general: Mrs. W. M. Lindsey, of Kentucky; Mrs. H. V. Boynton, of the District of Columbia; Mrs. Randolph D. Keim, of Pennsylvania.

The Daughters of the American Revolution appropriated $1,000 at their meeting this morning from the general fund for the alleviation of the sufferers in San Francisco. In addition the ballot box will be kept open to receive individual contributions and the various chapters in different states are requested to hold meetings for the purpose of raising funds.

"Man With Cough" Released.

A dispatch to the Chicago Tribune from Michigan City, Ind., says.

"The man with a cough," Col. A. B. Ward, one-time Confederate army officer and daring spy, one of the men sent North to burn New York city during the civil war, was released from State prison here yesterday.

Ward is one of the last of the old-time confidence men. Born near Indianapolis of wealthy parents 73 years ago, he was cast off by his family because of too high living. Later, in Washington, D. C., he killed an army officer and fled South, where at the outbreak of the war he enlisted in the Confederate army.

The second year of the war he was sent North to burn New York city and was arrested while applying the torch to the Astor House. Sentenced to be hanged, he devoted himself to the care of Confederate prisoner soldiers while in prison, so that President Lincoln pardoned him.

After the war Ward ran a steamer on the Mississippi river, which was fitted up lavishly and numbered among its patrons the biggest gamblers in the United States. He later went to New York and on one occasion broke "Phil" Daly's gambling house, winning over $30,000 in one night.

Ward's health gradually slipped away, and he took to forging checks. He has served more than a score of terms in prison during the last 40 years. He got the title "the man with a cough" several years ago, when he secured a pardon from a southern prison by coughing, and regarded his cough as his principal stock in trade.

Hawkins Acquitted.

In the Corporation Court yesterday evening the trial of the first indictment against J. S. Hawkins, charged with extorting money from the late Robert D. Ballantine, came to a close with a prompt rendered verdict of not guilty. While other cases are pending against Hawkins, it is believed that as the same evidence would be submitted by the same witnesses, a nolle prossequi will be entered and possibly the collapse of the case against Hawkins will put an end to the whole matter.

John S. Hawkins, Henry Michie and F. C. Duncan are charged with a conspiracy to extort money from the late Robert D. Ballentine by the aid of threats to publish allegations concerning his private habits, which he regarded as damaging enough to effect his standing in society.

Ballantine blew out his brains in his mother's house, in Newark, N. J., on the evening of December 9. Twenty-four hours afterwards John S. Hawkins was arrested and warrants were out for Duncan and Michie. The trio were charged with having hounded Ballantine to his death in their desire to extort money from him.

Beyond the evidence brought out at the preliminary hearing on January 11, and the fact that three checks were unearthed in the grand jury investigation bearing the signature of the deceased and payable to Duncan, there has been nothing new in the case.

Twenty boxes full-weight ADAMANTINE CANDLES just received by
J. C. MILBURN.

ATMORE'S MINCE MEAT received to-day by
J. C. MILBURN.

Alexandria Gazette

FRIDAY EVENING, APRIL 20, 1906.

Local Matters.

Sun and Tide Table.

Sun rises tomorrow at 5:15 a. m. and sets at 6:43 p. m. High water at 6:02 a. m. and 6:31 p. m.

Weather Probabilities.

For this section fair tonight and Saturday; variable winds.

For the Sufferers.

A special collection will be taken in Christ Church on Sunday morning to aid the sufferers from the San Francisco and fine. A generous response is expected and the money will be sent to Rev. Dr. Clampett, who is well known in this city, but who is now rector of one of the San Francisco churches.

Mr. R. Lee Stultz, local manager for the Western Union Telegraph Company, has received the following telegram from E. J. Maxwell, the superintendent at Richmond:

"The Western Union Telegraph Company will transmit free domestic messages relating to sufferers at San Francisco when offered by duly constituted relief organizations or public officers in their official capacity when destined to San Francisco. Such messages will be subject to delay such as conditions at that point impose."

As will be seen by a notice elsewhere contributions in aid of the sufferers can be left at the First National Bank and will be promptly sent to San Francisco.

The Citizens National Bank will receive contributions for the relief of the sufferers by the San Francisco earthquake.

Mayor Paff will meet the representatives of the several church choirs of the city, and such others as may be interested, at the Business Men's League rooms at 8 o'clock on Saturday night to make arrangements for giving an entertainment in behalf of the San Francisco sufferers.

The officers and employees of the Old Dominion Glass Works have made a handsome contribution in aid of the sufferers.

Grand Master of Masons Kemper of Virginia has wired a message of condolence to the Grand Master of Masons of California profering aid if needed.

Wharf Property.

There has been in recent years a slow but steady improvement in wharf property in Alexandria, and there is reason to believe that within a short time the few unsightly gaps now remaining on the river front will have vanished. The pier at the acid plant of the Alexandria Fertilizer and Chemical Company at Point West (Fishtown) is kept in good condition. It is used by the Standard Oil Company. The wharf property of W. A. Smoot & Co., a short distance south, is ample and capacious and there is always bustle and animation upon it. The new wharf of the fertilizer company to the south has taken the place of the wharf formerly used by the steamer Columbia, but which had been falling to pieces for years. The new pier of the Mutual Ice Company at the foot of Cameron street is a decided improvement to that portion of the river front, while the new ferry wharf and slip of the Norfolk and Washington Steamboat Company, a square south, has made a marked change in the surroundings at the foot of King street, During the past year or two Mr. DeW. Aitcheson has constructed a commodious and substantial wharf near the foot of Prince street. The Bryant Fertilizer Company have in late years built a substantial wharf at the foot of Duke street.

Declared the Nominee.

As anticipated, the democratic committee of the Eighth district, met at the office of Mr. G. L. Boothe in this city, this evening, and declared Mr. John F. Rixey the regular nominee of the party for Congress at the election to be held November 6th. No candidate having presented himself against Mr. Rixey the formality and expense of a primary will be dispensed with. This will make Mr. Rixey's sixth term and a continuous service of twelve years, which is longer than any other man has represented this district in Congress since the war.

The committee meeting today was attended by Messrs. Geo. S. Shachleford, Thos. Lion, Grenville Gaines and G. L. Boothe. Mr. Raleigh T. Green, of Culpeper, was elected a member of the committee to fill the vacancy caused by the death of Judge J. B. McCabe, of Loudoun.

Reception and Organ Recital.

The Epworth League of the Washington street, M. E. Church South will give a reception to the new pastor, Rev. Chas. D. Bulla, on Monday evening next at 8 o'clock, in the church. The musical part of the entertainment will consist of an organ recital by Mr. Wilson S. Riley, who will give several selections on the organ; violin solo by Mr. Geo. M. Jameson; violin and clarionet duet by Mr. Geo. M. Jameson and Mr. F. H. Hill; vocal solos by Mrs. Thomas A. Hulfish, Miss Margaretha Vierkorn, Mr. Kenneth Ogden and Dr. Chas. E. Outcalt. Addresses of welcome will be made by the officers of the several departments of the church.

The Fishery.

Four vessels have arrived at Fishtown from the lower river since yesterday morning. Prices are still well maintained, the demand continuing active. Fish are now being caught at Moxley's Point, a short distance below Alexandria. Shad continue high, the best specimens in market bringing 60 cents each. Pan fish are plentiful, but prices remain practically unchanged; viz 12½ cents a pound. Many black bass are being caught.

Police Court.

[Justice H. B. Caton presiding.]

The following cases were disposed of this morning:

James McDonald, arrested by Officer Beach charged with disorderly conduct, was dismissed.

Robert Dewey, colored, arrested by Officer Sherwood charged with stealing an overcoat from Annie Freeman, was dismissed.

The New Library.

The work of organization of the new library will be taken up today and those who desire to take advantage of the introductory proposition of half rate certificates may have one reserved for them payable on the first of May.

Death of a Former Resident.

Relatives in this city of Mr. J. Calvin Smith have been informed that he died in a Washington hospital on the 28th ultimo. The deceased was well known in Alexandria. He came here from Fauquier county when a boy and left in 1861, after the city was captured by federal soldiers, and entering the Confederate lines joined the Army of Northern Virginia in which he served during the remainder of the war. In the latter part of the sixties while he was a baggagemaster on the Orange and Alexandria (now Southern Railway) he had one of his legs crushed in an accident at Warrenton Junction. The limb was amputated and he later was employed as a clerk in the freight department of that road. The deceased subsequently became an inmate of the Soldiers' Home in Richmond. Several years ago he took up his residence in Washington where he practiced as a chiropodist. At this time he adopted a professional name. His relatives lost sight of him in October, 1905, when he entered a hospital in Washington, where, as stated above, he died March 28, 1906. It is supposed he gave his professional name when he entered the institution, which accounts for the fact that his death was not at the time known to his relatives and friends. Mr. Smith was a member of Belle Haven Lodge, Knights of Honor, of this city. His remains will be exhumed and interred in this city.

Suits for Damages.

Benjamin F. Hughes has brought suit in the Circuit Court for the city against the Washington-Southern and Richmond Fredericksburg and Potomac Railroad Companies for $5,000 damages. Several months ago Hughes, who was employed at the Fayette street depot, had one of his feet badly mashed by a box falling upon it. The plaintiff is represented by Messrs. John M. Johnson and Robinson Moncure.

Mrs. E. B. Robinson, through her husband, has brought suit in the same court against the W. A. & M. V. R. W. Co for $1,000 damages for injuries alleged to have been sustained recently while alighting from a car at King and Fayette streets Mrs Robinson, it will be remembered, was thrown on her face in endeavoring to step from the car, which, it is claimed, moved at the time. Messrs Douglass Stuart and Robinson Moncure are the counsel in the case.

T. H. Brickley has entered suit against the Southern Railway for $95 which sum he claims is due him for work and labor. He is represented by Mr. Robinson Moncure.

Pretty Dance.

The Thursday Night Assembly gave one of the prettiest dances of the season at McBurney's Hall last night, which was heartly enjoyed by all present. The music, which was from Washington, was excellent. Guests were present from Washington, Philadelphia, New York and this city. Seventy-five couples composed the company. The assembly will give informal dances every Thursday evening until the last of May. The committee in charge of the affair last night were Harry Dachslager, Henry Steiner and Jerome Kaufmann.

Opera House.

A small crowd was present at the Opera House last night to witness the production of "After the Ball" by the Jolly Bonnie Vance Company. The comedy throughout was interesting and laughable and was much enjoyed by the audience. The show was better than the night before. The specialties were again of a pleasing nature, especially those of the Creighton Sisters, Cook and Beall and Miss Sheldon. Tonight the company will present the farce comedy "Poor Mr. Rich," with an entire new series of specialties.

The Market.

There are many tempting edibles in the market and stores at this season of the year in the shape of early fruits and vegetables. They are brought from the sunny South and bring high prices. Fine strawberries are among the exhibits. They sell at 35 a box; tomatoes 20 cents a pound; new potatoes 20 cents a quarter of a peck; snap beans and green peas 25 cents a quarter of a peck; cucumbers 8 to 10 cents each. There is an abundance of early York cabbage, which sells at reasonable figures.

Liquor Licenses.

Judge Barley has set Wednesday next, April 25, at 10 o'clock, as the time for taking up the matter of hearing applications for liquor licenses. All applications will be taken upon that day and in the event of opposition being made to the granting of any license, a day for the hearing of such cases will be set.

Little Girl Scalded.

A little daughter of Mrs. Viola Kennedy, who lives in the Braddock House, was painfully scalded yesterday afternoon by pulling over a pot of boiling coffee. Dr. Delaney, who was summoned, rendered the necessary medical aid.

Certificates of Membership.

There will be fifty certificates of membership sold at half rate for the new library and those wishing to procure one of them must act at once and have one set aside for them.

Manager Harper of the Opera House has secured the favorite young star, Mr. Chauncey L. Southern, supported by an excellent company, for the attraction at the Opera House for three nights, commencing Monday, April 23. Mr. Southern's many friends will remember him as leading man with the Mabel Paige and the Frawley Stock Company.

A Badly Burned Girl

or boy, man or woman, is quickly out of pain if Bucklen's ArnicaSalve is applied promptly. G. J. Welch, of Tekonsha, Mich., says: "I use it in my family for cuts, sores and all skin injures, and find it perfect" Quickest pile cure known. Best healing salve made. 25c at E. S. Leadbeater & Sons' drug store.

3 Cans Best Tomatoes, 25c.

4 cans Corn, 25c; 4 cans Peas, 25c; 4 cans Bartlett Pears, 25c; 3 cans Wagner Baked Beans, 25c; 3 cans Stringless Beans, 25c; 3 cans Sweet Potatoes, 25c; 2 cans Table Peaches, 25c; 7 cakes Hoe Cake Soap, 25c.
W. P. WOOLLS & SON.
feb2 Royal and Wolfe streets.

LEASE FOR SALE.—Will expire in 1910. Useful for any business; in business locality. Address at once "B," this office.
apr19 3t*

A COMFORTABLE DWELLING for rent; good locality; cheap if rented at once; owner leaving city. Address "C," Gazette office. apr20 3t*

Personal.

Mr. Edward Hughes, who has for sometime been confined to his home by sickness, is said to be improving.

Mr. John H. Parrott, formerly of this city, but now of Salem, was in the city today on a short visit.

Mr. J. Y. Williams has returned from Atlantic City much improved in health.

Dr T. M. Jones has returned from Fauquier county, where he spent the past two weeks, entirely restored to health.

Mrs. Brown, mother of Mrs E. V. Regester, formerly of this city, is seriously ill at her home in Baltimore.

Mayor T. P. Wallace, of Fredericksburg, was in the city yesterday on a short visit and met many of his friends.

Mrs Thomas W. Robinson, Regent of Mt. Vernon Chapter, D. A. R., is this evening holding a reception at her residence on Washington street, in honor of Mrs. S. W. Jamison, Regent for the State of Virginia. The reception was numerously attended by the Daughters.

Death of Mr. Milburn.

Mr. B. Ariel Milburn died at the Hospital of the City of New York at an early hour this morning from cerebro spinal meningitis with which he was stricken about March 1st. The deceased was the only son of Mr. and Mrs. J. Clinton Milburn. He was born in this city thirty-nine years ago. After finishing the course at the Potomac Academy, he went to Washington and Lee and at the University of Virginia took his law degree about 1893. For a time he was connected with the law office of Mr. J. R. Caton and later he went west, spending several years in San Francisco. He then returned east and has since been located in New York. For sometime past he had been connected with a large law book and periodical publishing house in that city. The remains will be brought here tonight and the funeral will take place from St. Paul's Church. Some years ago Mr. Milburn was married in New York. His widow survives him.

Meeting.

The Lanston Monotype Company held its annual meeting in this city yesterday, and after satisfactory reports on the condition of the corporation were made, the following directors were elected. J. C. Maben, W. M. Laffan, H. C. Hallenback, Henry Parsons, R. Suydam Grant, H. A. Seixas, W. H. Goodby, J. Maury Dove, Maxwell Woodhell, Adrian W. Larkin, and Joseph Bryan.

President J Maury Dove announced the payment of the 2 per cent dividend, payable April 23.

Olivet to Cavalry.

Olivet to Cavalry, composed by J. H. Maunder, was admirably rendered last night at St. Paul's Church by the choir of the church before a large audience. Olivet to Cavalry is a sacred cantata recalling some of the incidents in the last days of the Saviour's life on earth. Mr. Sherman B. Fowler presided at the organ, and all the members of the choir acquitted themselves most creditably. At the conclusion of the cantata a collection was taken and a generous response made.

Auction Sale Tomorrow

Mr. Samuel H. Lunt, auctioneer, will sell at public aution tomorrow at 12 o'clock m. in front of the Fairfax street entrance to the Corporation Court room sundry articles, including a safe and record books of Alexandria city and Fairfax county property, heretofore belonging to the Virginia Title Company, and now in the hands of Mr. R. H. Cox, City Sergeant.

Current Literature.

Current literature is written to please and entertain, not as reference works, and it is not often one wishes to read one of these books the second time, therefore the new library at Smith's store is by far and away cheaper than purchasing the book. Have you investigated it?

Don't forget the date of the appearance of the favorite young star, Mr. Chauncey L Southern, at the Opera House for three nights, commencing Monday, April 23.

LOCAL BREVITIES.

The Board of Police Commissioners last night continued the examination of witnesses in connection with allegations made against certain members of the police force. The board will meet again tonight.

A little child of Mr. Ernest Craven fell from a window at its home on Fairfax street, north of King, yesterday evening, and was badly hurt, its hand being badly cut and the collar bone broken.

The Daughters of America will meet tonight, when there will be an initiation and important business.

In the Corporation Court today Mr. F. C. Spinks, jr., was appointed guardian of Margaret J. Spinks.

As will be seen by a notice elsewhere, a special meeting of Sharps and Flats will be held tonight.

Fried Clams 30 cents a dozen. Oysters fried, stewed or raw. Clam Soup 5c, Vegetable Soup5c. C. H. Zimmerman, Market Space. feb26tf

The original DeWitt's Witch Hazel Salve never fails to give satisfaction for burns, sores, boils, tetter, cracked hands, etc. For blind, bleeding, itching and protruding Piles it affords almost immediate relief. It stops the pain. Sold by W. F. Creighton & Co., 401 King street.

WANTED.

WANTED.—Two good BOYS, white or colored, one for coachman, the other for gardener; good wages. Apply C. H. S., Gazette office. apr19 1w

WANTED—A BARBER at ROSS'S, 1025 King street. Good wages to good man. ap19 2t*

WANTED.—PLAIN HOUSEKEEPER, one with furniture; no objection to widow with one or two children. Address MECHANIC, this office. ap18 3t

For the San Francisco Sufferers.

The First National Bank, of Alexandria, Va., will receive contributions to the California fund, for the benefit of the sufferers from the earthquake and fire.

This is an opportunity to relieve thousands of poor creatures, now destitute of everything that makes life bright and happy.

THIRD GRAND PROGRESSIVE EUCHRE of the Catholic Women's Benevolent Legion, Kenefick Council 190, of St. Mary's Church, at Young Men's Sodality Lyceum Hall, Tuesday, April 24, at 8:30 p.m. sharp. Large number of pretty prizes. Tickets, 25 cents. apr20 3t*

IMPORTANT NOTICE.—There will be a meeting of the members of SHARPS AND FLATS at Peabody Hall TONIGHT at eight o'clock. Business of the utmost importance. A full attendance is desired.

CODFISH.—New Boneless and Shredded Codfish just received by J. C. MILBURN.

NEW ORLEANS MOLASSA, 52 barrels just received, to sell at 40c gallon. J. C. MILBURN.

FAT MACKEREL for sale at 5c, 10c, and 20c each by J. C. MILBURN.

Choice CEYLON TEA. Just received by J. C. MILBURN.

PORTNER'S
HOFBRAU
EXPORT BEER

IS A PURE LIQUID FOOD CONTAINING LESS ALCOHOL THAN OTHER BEVERAGES.

BEER	4% ALCOHOL
CIDER	6 "
CLARET	9 "
CHAMPAGNE	12 "
SHERRY	23 "
GIN	45 "
WHISKEY	51 "
RUM	72 "

FOOD VALUE OF BEER COMPARED WITH OTHER FOODS.

• 4% Alcohol	BEER*	TURNIPS	EGGS	MILK	LEAN MEAT	POTATOES	CABBAGE	BREAD
NITROGENOUS MATTER	0.5	1.2	17.6	3.9	19.3	2.1	2.0	8.1
CARBOHYDRATES	5.3	7.2	—	4.9	—	22.	5.8	51.
FATS	trace	—	11.	2.6	3.6	0.2	0.5	1.6
MINERAL MATTER	0.2	0.6	1.4		5.1	0.7	0.7	2.3
WATER	90.	91.	70.	88.6	72.	75.	91.	37.

SOLD BY ALL DEALERS.

OPERA HOUSE, THREE NIGHTS, Commencing MONDAY, April 23.

MONDAY NIGHT, "LOST PARADISE"
Prices, 10c, 20c and 30c. First Four Rows, 50c.

About Rheumatism.

There are few diseases that inflict more torture than rheumatism and there is probably no disease for which such a varied and useless lot of remedies have been suggested. To say that it can be cured is, therefore, a bold statement to make, but Chamberlain's Pain Balm, which enjoys an extensive sale, has met with great success in the treatment of this disease. One application of Pain Balm will relieve the pain, and hundreds of sufferers have testified to permanent cures by its use. Why suffer when Pain Balm affords such quick relief and costs but a trifle? For sale by Gibson and Timberman and W. F. Creighton and Company.

CHINA, GLASS AND HOUSE FURNISHING GOODS.

Elliott's,
Cor. Pitt and King Sts

Coupon.
This coupon and 5c entitles the bearer to one 10c Rose Bush if presented on or before Saturday, April 21, 1906.

Coupon.
This coupon and 5c entitles the bearer to the choice of one 10c Hydranga, Spirea or Syringa if presented on or before Saturday, April 21, 1906.

Coupon.
This coupon and 5c entitles the bearer to 3 Grape Vines, one each of Concord, Niagara and Moore's Early if presented on or before Saturday, April 21, 1906.

WATER COOLERS—All sizes from two gallons to eight gallons.

ICE CREAM FREEZERS—We handle the Gem, Lightning and Blizzard, White Mountain and the Twin Freezers.

MOTH BALLS—5c per pound; 6 pounds for 25c.

WATERING POTS—all sizes in painted or galvanized iron.

GARDEN SEEDS, 6c packages for 5c.

BRUSH DEPARTMENT.—We have a full line of Paint and Wall Brushes, White Wash Brushes and Dusters from 5c to $1 98.

MIXED PAINTS, 10c per can.

ELLIOTT'S.

OTTERBURN LITHIA WATER.—We are agents for this celebrated Lithia Water and keep constantly on hand a full and fresh supply. WARFIELD & HALL, Corner Prince and Fairfax streets

CAMPBELL'S SOUPS.—5 cases Tomato Chicken, Vegetable, Clam Chowder, and other varieties of soups just received by J. C. MILBURN

Curtice Brothers SAP MAPLE SYRUP Blue Label CATSUP, ASSORTED JAMS and BAKED BEANS just received by J. C. MILBURN.

ITS FINE FOR FLOORS.—Our French Wax Finish Floor Oil. WARFIELD & HALL, Cor. Prince and Fairfax Streets

GALVANIZED TUBS, BUCKETS and OIL CANS just received by J. C. MILBURN

A full line of BROOMS, HEARTH BROOMS and WHISKS for sale low by J. C. MILBURN

SMALL HAMS.—Missouri and Maryland Hams, small sizes, for sale low by J. C. MILBURN

CHOICE MALAGA GRAPES, FLORIDA ORANGES and MESSINA LEMONS just received by J. C. MILBURN.

DRY GOODS.

Lansburgh & Bro
Washington's Favorite Store

Store Hours, 8 a. m. to 6 p. m.

$1, $1.50 and $2 Grades
American Lady Corsets,
59c

The material is batiste, of the better grades up to the very finest. They come in high or low bust, medium and deep hip. All sizes. Here is a splendid chance to buy a stylish corset, in an up-to-date model, at a sharp saving. Bargain Counter—First Floor.

Silks at a Fraction of Their Worth.

We were the largest purchasers at the Chas Schoolhouse & Sons' underwriters' sale, in New York city on Wednesday of last week, when we bought near to 28,000 yards of desirable silks at a mere song. Silks that usually bring over the retail counter $1.00, $1.25 and $1.50, we will offer at 39c. Some are slightly damaged from water, some scorched from fire, but a great many are perfect—among them 36 inch plain and glace taffeta, black satin brocade, black taffeta and black chiffon, black India, black pongee, 19-inch colored taffeta, 36-inch colored taffeta, in evening shades, fancy silks, 19 and 27 inches wide crepe de chine, crepe brilliants, satin de leons, fancy checks, shepperd checks, &c. In fact, there is a very wide choice from among silks worth all the way to $1.50, for 39c

Lansburgh & Bro.,
420 to 426 Seventh Street,
WASHINGTON, D. C.

FOR SALE.

2-story Frame Dwelling (partly brick) 223 north Royal street, containing 7 rooms and bath.

2-store Frame Dwelling 314 south Fairfax street, containing 8 rooms; fine lot.

Fine Brick Dwelling 415 north Peyton street, containg 6 rooms and bath. Large side lot.

Two 2-story Frame Dwellings on south Payne street, near Prince, containing 6 rooms each and large yards. Always rented.

Building Lots in all sections of the city and suburbs.

For prices and terms apply to

J. D. Normoyle,
Room 3, Alexandria Nat'l Bank Bldg.,
N. E. Cor. King and Royal Streets.
Bell 'Phone 224. Capital City 'Phone 124.

The Cable Company

INVITES YOU TO VISIT THEIR WAREROOMS, 612 KING STREET.

Where you can examine and have explained in detail their line of Pianos, ranging from the commercial to the high art instrument, such as the pre-eminent Mason & Hamlin. We are manufacturers and market direct, thus saving you a handsome sum in the purchase of an instrument, selling on terms and prices to suit any purchaser. Every piano and organ goes out with our positive guarantee to be exactly as represented or money refunded. A few special bargains in second hand upright and square pianos taken in exchange.

Tuning and Repairing Given Prompt Attention and All Work Guaranteed.

THE CABLE COMPANY,
C. W. O'MEARA, Manager. 612 KING STREET.
apr4 1m

This Beautiful Suburban Home Near Theological Seminary FOR SALE

Containing 10 rooms; large porches; 7½ acres of land; fruit trees of all varieties, barn and outbuildings; lovely lawn. Price, $4,000; terms ¼ cash, balance 1, 2 and 3 years.

M. B HARLOW & CO., 119 SOUTH FAIRFAX STREET.

GROCERIES.

Ramsay Sells the Best

Sweet Sicily Oranges,
30c a dozen,
at RAMSAY'S.

Cantrell & Cochrane's Belfast Ginger Ale.
G. Wm. Ramsay.

Duff's Carbonated Apple Juice.
Sterilized.
A Fancy Bottled Cider
Quarts and Pints.
For Sale by
G. Wm. Ramsay

Curtice's Jams,
Full Pound Jars,
16c.
A Fine Assortment
at Ramsay's.

Lowney's Cocoa.
Half Pound Tins,
20c,
at Ramsay's.

WATCHES AND JEWELRY

Acton Precision Watches
INVARIABLY GIVE SATISFACTION.
As good as they are they're moderately priced.
We shall be pleased to show them to you whether you wish to buy or not.

R. C. Acton & Sons
Jewelers and Silversmiths.

SKATING RINK
—:IS:—
Open Every Evening
AT 7:30 O'CLOCK.
NOT CLOSED AS REPORTED.
ap19 3t

NOTICE.—ALL PERSONS DOING BUSiness requiring a State license are hereby given due notice that said license expires on the 30th day of April, and applications for renewal must be made on or before that date.
CHAS. H. CALLAHAN,
apr11 td Commissioner of Revenue.

FIVE CENTS.—Fine Granulated Sugar for sale at five cents by J. C. MILBURN

GROCERIES.

Taste Tells.

That's why we're so anxious to have you try

BOURBON BLEND COFFEE.

If we weren't forever gaining new friends by "trial" orders we could never afford to risk our reputation advertising so much about its superior qualities.

But we know it's good—especially good—a pound will make you a Bourbon enthusiast. 20 cents will buy it.

C. R. Yates & Co.,
Groceries and Provisions,
No. 800 South Fairfax Street
TELEPHONE NO. 195.

BOOKS AND STATIONERY.

Athletic Goods.

Have a large and varied assortment of

BASEBALL
Gloves, Mits, Masks, Score Books, Indicators, Shoes, Toe and Heel Plates and Rule Books.

LAWN TENNIS
Nets, Stakes, Rackets (various kinds), Balls, Markers, &c. This game will be played extensively this season. I will lay out your courts.

GOLF.
Carry large assortments of Sticks, Balls, Score Cards, Points and Caddy Bags.

LAWN SWINGS AND SETTEES.
Examine my line before going elsewhere.

HAMMOCKS
from 50c to $10.00. A beautiful assortment.

ICE CREAM FREEZERS.
The cheapest line in the city. Every freezer guaranteed or money refunded.

R. E. KNIGHT,
621, 623, 625 KING STREET.

AMUSEMENTS.

OPERA HOUSE TONIGHT
The Jolly Bonnie Vance Co.
—:IN:—
POOR MR. RICH.
VAUDEVILLE BETWEEN ACTS.
Prices, - - - - - 10c, 20c, 30c.
apr17 5t

PLYMOUTH ROCK EGGS.
Barred Rock Eggs from good laying strain, 75 cents per 15.
E. W. STARNELL,
916 Prince street, Alexandria, Va.
apr11 2w*

ROSENFELD'S

SATISFACTION OR MONEY BACK.

WHITE WAISTS.

A full line of very handsome Shirt Waists, in fine Batiste, Persian Lawn and Dotted Swiss, elaborately trimmed with lace and fine embroidery; long and short sleeves; also all kinds of silks, from 49c to $7.50.

Women's Spring Underwear.

Ribbed Cotton Vests, white; all sizes, including extra large; really worth 25c. Special for this week at 12½.

Women's Swiss Ribbed Lisle Thread Vest, very neat patterns; all sizes; worth 50c, at 25c. Women's 10 and 12½c Ribbed Vest at 7½c.

Specials in Linen Sheeting, Muslins, Curtains, Towels, Pillow Cases, Tickings, Spreads and Rugs.

30 and 35c Floor Oilcloth at 25c a yard.

ROSENFELD'S,

518-20 King St., Alexandria, Va

Alexandria Gazette.

FRIDAY EVENING, APRIL 20, 1906.

Earthquakes of Last Two Centuries.

The last great earthquake in the United States was that of Charleston, S. C., August 31, 1886. This earthquake was preceded by minor tremors, to which little attention was paid. The principal shock occupied about one minute and other shocks followed at intervals with gradually diminishing violence. At the and of four weeks they had ceased to be destructive, but tremors were occasionally observed for several months longer. In Charleston the movements were less violent than at the centre of the disturbances, a point fifteen miles west of the city. A large number of houses in the city were thrown down, and nearly all the buildings in the city were more or less damaged. The damage was computed at $8,000,000. Twenty-seven persons were killed outright, and sixteen others died afterward from injuries received.

Following is a list of the most destructive earthquakes of the last two centuries:

Date.	Place.	Number killed.
1703	Yeddo, Japan	190,000
1716	Algiers, Algeria	18,000
1726	Palermo, Italy	6,000
1731	Peking, China	95,000
1746	Lima, Peru	18,000
1754	Cairo, Egypt	40,000
1755	Lisbon, Portugal	35,000
1773	Guatemala, Central America	33,000
1797	Quito, Ecuador	41,000
1822	Aleppo, Turkey	22,000
1861	Mendoza, Argentina	12,000
1868	Arica, Chili	6 000
1880	Manila, Philippine Islands	3,000
1883	Ischia, Italy	2,000

Explosion in Roanoke.

Roanoke was shaken by a dynamite explosion at an early hour yesterday morning, and many persons were thrown into a state of excitement, while several were almost knocked from their beds. Unknown parties attempted to blow up two new dwelling-houses on Seventh street, in the northwest section, and succeeded in badly damaging them. Thirty feet of fuse was found leading from one house to the other, and enough of the explosive was used to wreck a battleship. The houses had just been completed and were not yet tenanted. Citizens in that vicinity have resented the action of property owners in renting houses in that neighborhood to negroes, and it is believed it was sought to wreak vengeance on the owners by blowing up the new houses. A reward of $100 has been offered for the arrest of the perpetrators of the deed.

Don't tie a cough or a cold up in your system by taking a remedy that binds the bowels. Take Kennedy's Laxative Honey and Tar. It is better. It opens the bowels. An ideal remedy for young and old. Children like it. Sold by W. F. Creighton & Co., 402 King street.

Charged With Conspiracy.

Charging conspiracy in connection with the recent lock-out of the beer-bottling employes of the District of Columbia, a warrant was yesterday sworn out in Washington for 17 officers and members of local unions of the International Union of United Brewery Workmen of America, the Bottlers' Local No. 151, the Beer Drivers and Stablemen's Union No. 734 and the Brewery Workers' Local No. 118. Four of the defendants were arrested yesterday afternoon by detectives from central office. Other arrests, it is stated, will follow as fast as the men can be located. It is charged in the warrant that the defendants conspired together to have the members of their unions refuse to handle beer to be sold to the bottling companies named or to work for these companies or company selling them beer, to the injury of their business.

Danger From The Plague.

There's grave danger from the plague of Coughs and Colds that are so prevalent, unless you take Dr King's New Discovery for Consumption, Coughs and Colds. Mrs. Geo Walls, of Forest City, Me., writes: "It's a Godsend to people living in climates where coughs and colds prevail. I find it quickly ends them. It prevents Pneumonia, cures LaGrippe, gives wonderful relief in Asthma and Hay Fever, and makes weak lungs strong enough to ward off Consumption, Coughs and Colds 50c and $1.00. Guaranteed at E. S. Leadbeater & Sons' drug store. Trial bottle free.

For a Weak Digestion.

No medicine can replace food but Chamberlain's Stomach and Liver Tablets will help you to digest your food. It is not the quantity of food taken that gives strength and vigor to the system, but the amount digested and assimilated. If troubled with a weak digestion, don't fail to give these Tablets a trial. Thousands have been benefitted by their use. They only cost a quarter. For sale by Gibson & Timberman and W. F Creighton & Co.

Can you believe your senses?

When two of them, taste and smell, having been impaired if not utterly destroyed, by Nasal Catarrh, are fully restored by Ely's Cream Balm, can you doubt that this remedy deserves all that has been said of it by the thousands whom it has cured? It is applied directly to the affect d air passages and begins its healing work at once Why not get it today? All druggists, 50c, or mailed by Ely Bros., 56 Warren street, New York, on receipt of 50 cents.

FOR OVER SIXTY YEARS

An Old and Well-Tried Remedy.—Mrs. Winslow's Soothing Syrup has been used for over sixty years by millions of mothers for their children while teething with perfect success. It soothes the child, softens the gums, allays all pain, cures wind colic and is the best remedy for Diarrhœa. Is pleasant to the taste. Sold by druggists in every part of the world. Twenty-five cents a bottle. Its value is incalculable. Be sure and ask for Mrs. Winslow's Soothing Syrup and take no other kind

Southern Railway's Inauguration of Washington, D. C., and Roanoke, Va., Pullman Sleeping Car Line.

Effective with first car from Washington, D. C., Saturday, March 24, and first car from Roanoke, Va., Sunday, March 25, Pullman Drawing-room Sleeping Car Line will be inaugurated between Washington and Roanoke, on Southern Railway trains Nos. 41 and 42, in connection with Norfolk and Western Railway.

W. G. LeHew,
Ticket Agent.

CHERRY COUGH CURE—A safe, pleasant and effectual remedy for Coughs, Cold and all affections of the throat and lungs. Contains no morphine or other injurious chemicals Price, 25c. For sale by E. S. LEADBEATER & SONS.

HUTCH, HUTCH, HUTCH.—Try HUTCH for indigestion. It will cure you. 25 cents per box. For sale only by WARFIELD & HALL, Corner Prince and Fairfax sts.

LEADBEATER'S EMULSION of PURE NORWEGIAN COD LIVER OIL, combined with hypophosphites of Lime and soda. Fourteen ounce bottle 50 cents. For sale by E. S. LEADBEATER & SONS

Fine COFFEES Granulated or Pulverized by new electric mill at J. C MILBURN'S

To Remove Freckles & Pimples In Ten Days, Use Nadinola

A new discovery, sold under a positive guarantee and money refunded in every case where it fails to remove freckles, pimples, liver-spots, sun-tan, sallowness, collar discolorations, blackheads and all eruptions of the skin, no matter of how long standing. Cures ordinary cases in 10 days, and the worst in 20 days. After these defects are removed the skin will be clear, soft, healthy and beautiful. No possible harm can result from its use. 50 cents and $1.00 at leading drug stores or by mail.

NATIONAL TOILET COMPANY, Paris, Tenn.

REAL ESTATE AND INSURANCE

REAL ESTATE FOR SALE.

3 room frame house..... $300
Will rent at $4 a month. Easy terms.

6 room frame..... $700
Easy terms.

5 room frame..... $500
Rents for $6.

6 room frame..... $800
Rents for $7.

7 room frame..... $1,050

8 room frame..... $1,100

10 room brick, King street..... $2,500

5 rooms and store, large lot..... $3,000

12 room brick, Prince street..... $3,500

Store and dwelling, King street.. $4,800

BARGAIN IN SMALL FARM.

Several choice building lots at reasonable prices.

ROBT. ELLIOTT,

Real Estate,

125 South Royal Street.

GROCERIES.

FLORIDA ORANGES.

Five boxes sweet, juicy Florida Oranges, the last we will have this season. We are still selling enormous quantities of our sweet California Fruit.

VEGETABLES.

Firm Slicing Tomatoes.
Green Peas.
Cucumbers.
Asparagus.
Fresh Eggs, 20c dozen.
Country Roll Butter, very fine, 28c.
Fancy Prunes, 4 pounds for 25c.

SPECIAL.

Shriver's Corn 4 cans for 25c. Order quick, as stock of corn at this price cannot last long.

J. M. PETTIT, Jr.

717 KING STREET.

Bell 'Phone 200. feb16 3m

VIRGINIA,—In the Clerk's Office of the Corporation Court of Alexandria, on the 11th day of April, 1906,

May Letitia Brown, complainant, vs. Lawson J. Brown, defendant, } In Chancery.

Memo. The object of this suit is that the complainant, May Letitia Brown, obtain an absolute divorce from the defendant, Lawson J. Brown, and that the complainant may be awarded the custody of their infant daughter, Florence Elizabeth Brown, and to obtain such other further and general relief as to equity may seem right and the circumstances of this case may require.

It appearing by an affidavit filed in this cause that the defendant, Lawson J. Brown, is a non-resident of this State: It is Ordered, That said defendant appear here within fifteen days after due publication of this order, and do what is necessary to protect his interest in this suit, and that a copy of this order be forthwith inserted in the Alexandria Gazette and Industrial Advocate, newspapers published in the city of Alexandria, once a week for four successive weeks, and posted at the front door of the Court House in this city.

A copy—Teste:

CHARLES BENDHEIM, Clerk.
By Nevell S. Greenaway, D. C.
Robinson Moncure, p. q. ap12w4w-th

OPENING AND CLOSING OF MAILS

Northern mails, week days, close at 7 15, 8 55 and 11 00 a. m., and 2 00, 6 10, 8 15 and 10 15 p. m. Open at 8 00 a. m., 12 00 m, and 4 30 p. m. On Sundays Northern mails close at 9 00 a. m., 2 00 p. m. and 7 20 p. m.

Southern mails via Charlottesville close at 7 10 and 10 20 a. m., and 2 00, 9 30 and 10 15 p. m. Open at 8 00 a. m. and 2 30 and 4 30 p. m.

Southern mails, via Richmond, close at 10 20 a. m., and 3 20, 6 10 and 10 15 p. m. Open at 8 a. m. and 1 and 4 p. m.

Manassas Division mails close at 7 15 a. m. and 3 20 p. m. Open at 12 00 m.

Alexandria and Round Hill mails close at 7 30 a. m. and 4 15 p. m. Open at 9 00 a. m. and 6 30 p. m.

Chesapeake and Ohio mails close at 2 00 p. m. and 10 15 p. m. Open at 8 00 a. m. and 6 30 p. m.

Washington mails close at 7 15, 8 55 and 11 00 a. m., and 2 00, 6 10, 8 23 and 10 30 p. m. Open at 8 00 a. m., 12 00 m. and 4 00 p. m. and 4 30 p. m.

Office Hours—Open at 8 00 a. m. Close at 6 00 p. m.

Sunday Hours—Open at 9 00 a. m. Close at 10 00 a. m.

Carriers' Schedule—Collection made on inside routes—6 30 and 10 00 a. m. and 3 00 and 5 30 p. m. Full route—6 30 a. m. and 5 30 p. m. Sunday collection 5 00 p. m. Carriers' window open Sunday 9 00 a. m. and close 10 00 a. m.

Deliveries made 8 00 a. m. 1 p. m. and 4 15 p. m.

All mail should be in the office ten minutes before our indicated time for closing.

OTTERBURN LITHIA WATER.—This water is indicated in all affections due to Uric Acid, Diathesis, Gout, Rheumatism, Stone in the Bladder, Kidneys or Liver Bright's Disease and Kidney Diseases of every form For sale by WARFIELD & HALL, Sole Agents Cor. Prince & Fairfax Sts

MILLER'S SELF-RAISING BUCK WHEAT just received by J. C. MILBURN.

PRIME PORTO RICO MOLASSES just received by J. C. MILBURN.

SPRING BUYING

Is opening up. You have had a chance to size up your line. Now you will soon want more Bed Clothing. You take no chance on our Bed Clothing of quality.

Don't wait until your stock gets low. Stop in to see us. If it is not convenient to come in person call up No. 207 on the Bell line and ask for what goods you wish to be sent on approval.

42x36 inches Hemstitched Linen-finish Pillow Cases, worth 15c; this week..... 11½c
81x90 Extra Heavy Sheets, worth 85c; this week only..... 62½c
90x90 Mohawk Brand Sheets, worth 85c, this week only..... 69c
One special lot of extra size and quality White Quilts, worth $1.35; this week $1.00
4-4 Fruit of the Loom Bleached Cotton..... 8½
4-4 Androscoggin Bleached Cotton..... 8c
Lonsdale Cambric..... 10½c
40 inch India Linon, 15c quality, this week..... 11c
40-inch India Linon, 12½c quality, this week..... 9c
23x46 Union Linen Huck Towels, worth 25c; this week only..... 18½
Regular 5c Cotton Crash, this week's price, per yard..... 4c

The Goodloe Co.,

Corner King and Pitt Streets.

Embroideries.

We have just added to our already complete line of Embroideries a supplementary line of HANDSOME SWISS EDGINGS AND INSERTIONS in buttonhole and shadow embroidery work.

Also fine line of VALENCIENNES AND TORCHON LACES.

It will pay you to inspect our stock.

HOME JOURNAL PATTERNS for May now in. Call for style book.

A. C. Slaymaker,

429 KING STREET.

FINANCIAL

EVERY ESSENTIAL

which tends to improve the facilities of this corporation and increase the safety of the STOCKHOLDERS, DIRECTORS and DEPOSITORS is practiced into service. We are absolutely up-to-date and offer every courtesy consistent with solid and conservative banking methods. This corporation solicits the accounts of BANKS, CORPORATIONS and INDIVIDUALS, and has unsurpassed facilities for handling the same. Liberal interest paid on deposits in Savings Department. GENERAL BANKING BUSINESS TRANSACTED.

DIRECTORS:

C. J. Rixey, C. C. Leadbeater,
John P. Robinson, Henry K. Field,
Gardner L. Boothe, Park Agnew,
Henry Baader, J. K. M. Norton,
Geo. S. French, Frank Hume,
L. Ruben, Thos. J. Fannon.

Virginia Safe Deposit and Trust Corporation,

Capital Paid In, $280,000.
Authorized Capital, $1,000,000.

FISH DEALERS.

GEORGE E. PRICE & CO.

DEALERS IN

Fresh and Salted Fish.

Are receiving Fish daily from the shores of the Potomac and will supply customers in any quantities to suit, either fresh or salted, by experienced packers. Country orders solicited and satisfaction guaranteed.

OUR BRAND OF BARRELED FISH has always stood No. 1 in the market.

Terms: C. O. D., or best references.

Stall No. 2 Royal street entrance, stall No. 1 Fairfax street entrance to the City Market, and Fish House front of Corporation Fish Wharf. Bell 'phone 1104. mar15 2m

Wm. Neitzey, J. W. Cogswell.
J. T. Ballenger. J. Matthews, Manager.

BRANCH HOUSE

POTOMAC FISH CO.,

Corporation Fish Wharf, Alexandria, Virginia.

During the season we will keep constantly on hand and receive daily all kinds of Potomac fish and be prepared to promptly fill all orders, large or small, with either fresh gross or fresh cut and salted. Our facilities are such that we can give you lowest prices. Quality and count guaranteed. We solicit your trade, to which we promise prompt attention. Write us for quotations. Terms—Cash or satisfactory reference. Respectfully,

POTOMAC FISH COMPANY,
Alexandria, Va.
mar26 2m

AGRICULTURAL.

HERBERT BRYANT, President. | WILLIAM BRYANT, Sec. & Treas.

—THE—

Bryant Fertilizer Company

Manufacturers of

FERTILIZERS, FERTILIZING MATERIALS, PURE RAW BONE AND FINE GROUND NOVA SCOTIA LAND PLASTER.

Office: 117 King street.
Factory and Wharf: Foot of Duke street, Alexandria, Va.

JOHN P. ROBINSON, President. | GEORGE S. FRENCH Secretary.

Alexandria Fertilizer and Chemical Company

Manufacturers of

FERTILIZERS, FERTILIZER MATERIALS AND BLUE WINDSOR GROUND PLASTER.

Princess Street, between Union and Lee, Alexandria, Va.

THE BEST OF EVERYTHING.

The Best DRUGS. SODA WATER. CIGARS. SERVICE.

Taylor's Pharmacy

Both 'Phones. Night Bell.

REGISTERED PHARMACISTS.

Another barrel SWEET CIDER received November 15th by J. C. MILBURN.

50c G. P. TEA and 15c freshly roasted COFFEE are exceptionally good for prices at J. C. MILBURN.

Extra Choice Head CAROLINA RICE. Just received by J. C. MILBURN.

Good Roasted COFFEE for sale at 15c by J. C. MILBURN.

Genuine ARABIAN MOCHA COFFEE just received by J. C. MILBURN

BUILDING MATERIALS.

[ESTABLISHED 1822.]

HENRY K. FIELD & CO.

Successors to JOSIAH H. D. SMOOT,

Lumber and Mill Work

OF ALL KINDS.

Lime, Cement and Plaster

Office and Yard 115 N. Union street.
Factory No. 111 N. Lee street.
Material Delivered FREE in the city.

SMOOT & CO

(Successor to J. Rector Smoot & Co.)

STEAM FLOORING AND PLANING MILL.

Manufacturers of DOOR AND WINDOW FRAMES, MOULDINGS, &c.

DEALERS IN LUMBER, SHINGLES, LATHS, NAILS, LIME, CALCINED PLASTER and CEMENT

No. 25 north Union street,
Alexandria, Va.
Lumber delivered free in the city.

RAILROADS

SOUTHERN RAILWAY

Schedule effective April 15, 1906.

Trains leave Southern Railway Station Alexandria:

7:52 A. M.—Daily—Local for Harrisonburg Warrenton, Danville and way stations.

11:08 A. M.—Washington and Florida limited. Sleeping cars between New York and Jacksonville. Through first-class coaches between Washington and Jacksonville. Dining car service between Washington and Columbia.

11:32 A. M.—Daily—U. S. Fast Mail. First class coaches and drawing-room sleeper to New Orleans. Dining car service.

4:18 P. M.—Week Days—Local for Harrisonburg and way stations on Manassas branch

5:12 P. M.—Daily—Local for Warrenton and Charlottesville.

7:47 P. M.—Daily—New York and Atlanta Express—First class coach to Atlanta; sleeper to Columbus, Ga. Mondays, Wednesdays and Fridays Sunset Route Tourist sleeper Washington to San Francisco.

10:07 P. M., No. 33—Daily—New York and Florida Express. Through coaches and sleepers to Columbia, Savannah and Jacksonville. Sleepers to Augusta and Port Tampa. Dining car service a la carte.

10:17 P. M.—Daily—Washington and Chattanooga Limited (via Lynchburg). First class coach and sleeping car to Roanoke, Knoxville, Chattanooga and Memphis. Sleeper to Birmingham and New Orleans, Washington to Roanoke. Dining car service.

11:02 P. M.—Daily—Washington and Southwestern Limited. All Pullman train, club car to Atlanta, observation cars to Atlanta, Macon Sleepers to Nashville, Atlanta, Macon, Birmingham and New Orleans. Dining car service

Through trains from the South arrive at Alexandria 6:19, 6:35, 9 33 and 10.48 A. M. and 2:43, 9:13 and 9:33 P. M. daily. From Harrisonburg 11:38 A. M. week days and 9:03 P. M. daily. From Charlottesville 7:53 A. M. and from Lynchburg 9:03 P. M. daily.

TRAINS ON BLUEMONT BRANCH.

Leave Alexandria 8:21 A. M., 1:40, and 4:51 P. M. week days for Bluemont; 6:37 P. M. for Leesburg; 9:20 A. M. and 4:51 P. M on Sundays only for Bluemont.

For detailed schedule figures, tickets, Pullman reservation, etc., apply to WILLIAM G LEHEW, ticket agent, Alexandria, Va.

H. B. SPENCER, General Manager.
S. H. HARDWICK, Pass. Traf. Mgr.
W. H. TAYLOE, Gen. Passenger Agent.
L. S. BROWN, General Agent.
Washington, D. C.

Washington Southern Ry

Schedule in effect Jan. 8, 1906.

Trains leave station western end of Prince street for Washington and points north at 8 01 and 9 38 a. m., 12 21, 2 53, 7 07, 8 18, and 11 33 p. m., week days.

Sundays—9 38 a. m., 12 21, 7 07, 8 18 and 11 33 p. m.

For Fredericksburg, Richmond and points south at 4 48, 7 57 (local), and 11 05 a. m 4:00, 5 07 (local), and 7 41 p. m., week days.

Sundays—4 48 and 11 05 a. m., 4 00, 5 07 (local), and 7 41 p. m.

Accommodation for Quantico 7 57 a. m. Sundays only, 4 42 p. m. week days and 8 33 p m. except Saturdays.

NOTE:—Time of arrivals and departures and connections not guaranteed.

W. D. DUKE, C. W. CULP, W. P. TAYLOR
Ass't to Pres't. Gen'l Supt. Traf. Mgr.

Washington, Alexandria & Mt. Vernon Railway.

In effect November 1, 1905

LEAVE ALEXANDRIA.

For Washington, from corner Prince and Royal streets, week days, at 5 45, 6 10x, 6 20, 6 35x, 6 45, 7 00x, 7 10, 7 20x, 7 35, 7 50x, 8 00, 8 15x, 8 20, 8 30, 9 00, 9 30, 10 00, 10 25, 11 00, 11 15 and 11 40 a. m., 12 20, 12 45, 1 00, 1 20, 1 45, 2 10, 2 45, 3 00, 3 30, 3 45, 4 10, 4 35, 4 50x 5 10, 5 20, 5 35, 5 45, 6 00, 6 10, 6 30, 6 55, 7 15, 7 50, 8 30, 9 10, 9 50, 10 30, 11 10 and 11 50 p. m.

Saturdays only, 6 45x, 8 15x and 10 10x p. m.

Sundays—7 00, 8 10, 8 15, 9 00, 9 30, 10 10, 10 45, 11 15 and 11 45 a. m., 12 15, 12 40, 1 05, 1 20, 1 40, 2 00, 2 20, 2 40, 3 00, 3 20, 3 40, 4 00, 4 20, 4 40, 5 00, 5 20, 5 40, 6 00, 6 20, 6 40, 7 00, 7 20, 7 40, 8 00, 8 20, 8 40, 9 10, 9 50, 10 30 and 11 10 p. m.

LEAVE WASHINGTON.

For Alexandria, from the corner of Pennsylvania avenue and 12th street, week days, 6 20 6 45x, 6 55, 7 10, 7 20x, 7 35, 7 45x, 7 55, 8 25 8 50, 9 10, 9 40, 10 00, 10 05x, 10 30, 11 00 11 30 a. m. 12 00 noon, 12 15, 12 35, 1 00, 1 25 1 55, 2 00x, 2 30, 3 00, 3 30, 4 00, 4 15, 4 35x 4 40, 4 55x, 5 05, 5 15x, 5 25, 5 45x, 6 00, 6 15x 6 30 6 45x, 7 00, 7 10, 7 50, 8 30, 9 10, 9 50, 10 30, 11 10, 11 50 p. m. and 12 30 a. m.

Saturdays only, 7 30x, 9 00x and 11 00x p. m

Sundays—7 35, 8 45, 9 00, 9 35, 10 10, 10 40 11 00, 11 30 a. m., 12 00 noon, 12 30, 1 00, 1 20, 1 40, 2 00, 2 50, 2 40, 3 00, 3 20, 3 40, 4 00, 4 20, 4 40, 5 00, 5 20, 5 40, 6 00, 6 20, 6 40, 7 00, 7 20, 7 40, 8 00, 8 30, 9 10, 9 50, 10 30, 11 10 and 11 50 p. m

FOR MOUNT VERNON.

Leave Alexandria for Mount Vernon, week days, 5 45, 6 52, 8 32, 10 32, 11 32 a. m., 12 32, 1 32, 2 32, 3 32, 4 47, 5 40, 7 05 and 9 05 p. m

Sundays—7 00, 9 32, 10 41, 11 40 a. m., 12 40, 1 40, 2 40 3 40, 4 47, 7 05, 9 05 and 10 25 p. m.

FOR ARLINGTON.

Leave Alexandria 7 10, 7 35, 8 20, 9 30, 10 00, 10 25, 11 15, 11 40 a. m., 12 20, 1 45, 2 10, 2 40, 3 00, 3 45, 4 35, 5 10, 5 6 30, 6 55, 7 50 p. m.

Sundays—8 10, 9 30, 10 10, 10 45, 11 15, 11 a. m., 12 15, 12 40, 1 05, 1 20, 2 00, 2 20, 2 40, 3 00, 3 20, 3 40, 4 00, 4 20, 5 00, 5 40, 6 20, 6 40, 7 00 and 7 40 p m.

FOR ROSSLYN.

Leave Alexandria for Rosslyn, week days 7 10, 7 35, 8 20, 9 00, 10 00, 10 25, 11 40 a. m., 1 00, 2 45, 3 45, 4 35, 5 10, 5 45, 6 30, 6 55 and 7 50 p. m.

Sundays—8 10, 9 30, 10 10, 11 15 a. m, 12 15, 1 20, 2 20, 3 20, 4 20, 5 40, 7 00 and 7 40 p. m.

Baggage checked and carried on the following trains from Alexandria for Washington week days: 8 30 and 10 25 a. m., 1 00, 3 00 and 6 10 p. m.

Sundays—8 15 a. m. and 6 20 p. m.

Parcels carried.

Freight carried daily, morning and evening, in each direction. No freight accepted unless delivered at the station at least 30 minutes before the departure of the freight trains.

CLARENCE P. KING, President. J. COLVIN, Superintendent.

DRY GOODS.

SWAN BROS.

424-426 King St.

New Negligee Shirts For Men and Boys.

Our new spring line of Negligee Shirts for men and boys are now ready for your inspection. The styles are prettier than ever and the quality of material was never so good—let us show them to you now while the stock is fresh and complete.

The famous Manhattan Negligee Shirts, are here in larger quantities than ever. We are showing a very large assortment of these well known shirts in neat fancy effects and all white, with cuffs attached or detached. Make your selections now while the assortment is large.

Each $1.50, $2.00 and $2.50.

Our $1.00 Negligee Shirts.

We are showing a complete line of the Monarch and Monumental, Fancy and White Negligee Shirts. These brands are well known for the quality of cloth and fine workmanship. A better shirt for the money cannot be constructed than these two brands. They are guaranteed to wear well, fit well and wash well.

Your choice $1.00.

Boys' New Negligee Shirts.

We offer 25 dozen boy's good Negligee Shirts, no collars or cuffs. Neat styles and unusual quality, at

25c each.

Boys' 50c Negligee Shirts.

The new spring line of boy's White and Fancy Negligee Shirts are now on sale. These have separate cuffs to match, and are carefully made of good quality, madras. All sizes in fancy and white madras.

Each 50c.

Men's Summer Balbriggan Underwear

Now on sale. All kinds and all sizes, at 25c and 50c each.

SPRING SUITS

Made to Order, Fit Guaranteed.

PRICES from $13.50 to $30.

TROUSERS

From $4.00 Up.

An exceptional line of large and handsome

CLOTHS,

From which to select.

ALL ORDERS PROMPTLY FILLED.

R. LEE FIELD,

One Price Clothier and Tailor.

No. 304 King Street.

MEETINGS.

NOTICE.—The annual meeting of the stockholders of the PNEUMATIC TOBACCO STEMMER COMPANY will be held at the Hotel Fleischmann, in the city of Alexandria, Virginia, on TUESDAY, the 24th day of April, 1906, at 2 o'clock p. m., for the election of officers and for the transaction of all business which may properly come before the meeting

L. P. WHITTAKER, Secretary.
ap9 eotd

THE ANNUAL MEETING of the stockholders of the LOCKE COAL COMPANY will be held at the principal office of the company, 111 south Fairfax street, Alexandria, Virginia, at 3 o'clock p. m., on MONDAY, the 30th day of April, 1906. apr13 td

NOTICE—The regular annual meeting of the stockholders of the COLUMBIA REAL ESTATE COMPANY will be held at the office of the company, No. 111 south Fairfax street, Alexandria, Va., on MONDAY, May 7, 1906, at 2 o'clock p. m., for the election of officers and other business.

A. P. FARDON, President.
D. BIRTWELL, Secretary.
apr10,17,24

To the Stockholders of the Massachusetts Breweries Company:

Notice is hereby given that pursuant to the by-laws of the company, the annual meeting of the stockholders of the Massachusetts Breweries Company will be held at 10 o'clock in the forenoon on MONDAY, the 30th day of April, 1906, at the principal office of the company, No. 111 south Fairfax street, in Alexandria, Virginia.

1. To elect a Board of 9 Directors of the company.

2. To transact such other business as may come before the meeting.

EDWARD RUHL, Secretary.
ap14 td

THE ANNUAL MEETING of the stockholders of the WASHINGTON, ARLINGTON AND FALLS CHURCH RAILWAY COMPANY will be held at the office of the company, at Rosslyn, Virginia, on WEDNESDAY, May 2, 1906, at 12 o'clock noon. C. B. HINCHMAN, Secretary.
apr17 w3w-tu

THE ANNUAL MEETING of the stockholders of the MOUNT VERNON AND MARSHALL HALL STEAMBOAT COMPANY (Limited) will be held at the company's office, 111 south Fairfax street, Alexandria, Virginia, on MONDAY, May 7, 1906, at 3 p. m. HENRY F. WOODARD, Secretary.
apr16 td

GROCERIES.

William H. Peck,

S. E. Cor. Queen and Payne Sts.

GROCERIES, PROVISIONS, COAL, WOOD, FLOUR, FEED, &c.

A specialty is made of WOOD, long, sawed and split, which will be delivered promptly to any party of the city and at the lowest price.

W. A. JOHNSON & CO.,

WHOLESALE GROCERS.

GENERAL COMMISSION MERCHANTS

And Dealers in

ALL KINDS OF LIQUORS.

Have on hand Gibson's XX, XXX, XXXX, and Pure Old Rye, Old Cabinet and Monogram Whiskies; also Baker's and Thompson's Pure Rye Whiskies, to which they invite the attention of the trade.

Orders from the country for merchandise shall receive prompt attention.

Consignments of Flour, Grain and Country Produce solicited, for which they guarantee the highest market prices and prompt returns

N. E corner Cameron and Royal Streets.

JOHN AHERN & CO.,

WHOLESALE AND RETAIL GROCERS

And Dealers in

PURE WINES AND LIQUORS.

Country Produce received daily. Our stock of Plain and Fancy Groceries embraces everything to be had in this line.

We hold largely in United States bonded warehouse and carry in stock various brands of the best

PURE RYE AND MALT WHISKIES made. Have also in store superior grades of Foreign and American

WINES, ALES, BROWN STOUT, &c.

Satisfaction Guaranteed as to Price and Quality.

Corner Prince and Commerce Streets.

QUALITY TELLS.

J. C. MILBURN,

113 North Royal Street : Alexandria, Va

Dealer in

FANCY AND STAPLE GROCERIES.

Proprietor of the

POTOMAC BRAND FLOUR, which is unexcelled.

Coffees Freshly Roasted

FOR SALE

Several small pieces of beautiful land for sale containing from

ONE TO SIX ACRES EACH.

Also lots 50x130 feet SINGLY OR IN GROUPS, convenient to railroads and about one mile from Alexandria and five from Washington city. Terms to suit.

R. F. KNOX.

115 south Royal street, Alexandria, Va.
jy12 tf

POMPEIIAN MASSAGE CREAM cleanses where soap and water fails. Men who shave themselves or are shaved by barbers should use it. Be your own beauty doctor. Price 50c and $1 per jar. For sale by WARFIELD & HALL, Corner Prince and Fairfax streets.

Ten sacks GOOD COFFEE to be roasted and sold at fifteen cents by J. C. MILBURN.

AUCTION SALES.

By S. H. Lunt, Auctioneer.

SERGEANT'S EXECUTION SALE.

By virtue of two executions, one issued upon a judgment rendered by Charles O. Sipple, J. P., of the city of Alexandria, in favor of James Patterson against the Virginia Title Company, and the other issued upon a judgment of the Corporation Court of the city of Alexandria in favor of F. C. Lucas's administrator against said company, the undersigned will at 12 o'clock m., on

SATURDAY,
the 21st day of April, 1906,

a the front door of the Court House of Alexandria city, on Fairfax street, near Cameron street, in said city, sell at public action for cash the following property and chattels of said company, levied upon by virtue of said executions, to-wit:

SAFE.

One safe 4 ft. 8 in across the front 3 ft. 1½ in. deep, 6 ft. 9 in. high; cost new about $400. Is in good condition and ordered especially to hold the company's records.

RECORDS.

Books marked "Fairfax Ct." (A, B, C, D) (E, G, L, N) (O, P) (Q, R) (S, T, U) (W, X, Y) (Z, Aa, B, B), seven books in all, and abstracts No. 1 to 1216.

Books marked "Hustings Ct.," A to L; four books, abstracts No. 1217 to 2566.

Books marked "City and County," A to Z; nine books, abstracts 2567 to 5431; A to Z No. 2; twelve books, abstracts 5432 to 9407; A to Z No. 3; twenty-one books, abstracts 9408 to 16089.

Books marked "City," No. 1 to 40, thirty-four books, abstracts 16912 to 29341.

Books marked "City Release," No. 1 and 2.

Books marked "Alex Co.," A to Z No. 4; nineteen books, abstracts 1 A to 7869 A

Books marked "Deed Book 102," 1 book, abstracts 7870 A to 8245 A

1 large City Plat Book of Alexandria city, containing all city blocks (about 300) with plat and dimensions of all lots in each block.

A large Alexandria city Abstract Book, in which all the papers contained in the city abstracts are listed,

1 large Alexandria county Abstract Book, in which all the papers contained in the county abstracts are listed.

17 Alexandria city Chain Books, in which a complete chain of title to each city lot is given with cross reference to abstract numbers.

1 Alexandria county Chain Book, in which a complete chain of title to each separate tract of land in Alexandria county is given with cross reference to abstract numbers.

1 book showing transfers of lots in sub-divisions made in Alexandria county.

The above work embraces complete data for a title company in Alexandria city and county, beginning with the year 1742. All records have been carefully briefed and verified by the clerks of the respective courts and over $20,000 has been expended on the records of the company.

The Alexandria city records are about eight years behind and the Alexandria county records about four years behind.

ROBERT H. COX, City Sergeant.
ap10 td

By S. H. Lunt, Auctioneer.

AUCTION SALE.

I will, as administrator of the estate of Frank Price, deceased, on

SATURDAY,
the 28th day of April, 1906,

at 10 o'clock a. m., sell at public auction at the front door of the Court House on north Fairfax street, the following described personal property, to-wit:

1 lamp, 1 force pump, 1 chain fall, 100 tin cups, 1 box miscellaneous, rifle and miscellaneous, pot of junk, lot furniture, 2 scythes and handles, 1 plow, 5 light boxes, 2 screen doors, 1 box and table, 1 horse.

And immediately after the sale of the above property I will sell at public auction in front of the Osage Manufacturing Company, on the southeast corner of Wolfe and Union streets, the following described personal property, to-wit:

575 fathoms of seine rigged, 100 fathoms of seine not rigged, 5½ coils of rope, 3 stoves, 3 capstans, tar rigger and pot, 8 capstan rims, tackling, 1 boat (lookout), 1 boat (lookout), 1 scow, 16-oar seine boat, 14-foot seine boat.

ROBT. H. COX, Sergeant, Administrator.
apr18 10t

JEWELRY.

YES,

We Probably Have It.

A good many people make the mistake of going to Washington to get something they could buy at home, do not look for it here, just jump to the conclusion that such things are not to be had in Alexandria.

We would like to state to those contemplating purchasing a fine watch, or diamond, or other fine piece of jewelry, clock, silverware, cut glass, etc., that we have a large and complete stock of the above mentioned goods and which we offer at a lower price than is asked for the same goods in Washington.

H. W. Wildt & Son

JEWELERS,

106 NORTH ROYAL STREET

Correct time furnished by Bell Telephone No. 345-J.

Candies

From the famous HUYLER as fresh as bought at the factory. All kinds and in fancy assorted boxes.

L. Shuman & Son,

516 KING STREET.

Kodaks

-- AT --

R. L. Carne & Co.,

703 King Street.

BELL PHONE 302-J.